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MURDER MYSTERY SETS ALL FRANCE IN UPROAR

Death of Noted Artist Steinheil and His Mother-inlaw Result of Wife's Intrigue With Nobleman, She Confesses.

WOMAN HAS HAD NUMEROUS LOVERS INCLUDING EX-PRESIDENT FAURE--INVESTIGATION DEMANDED

PARIS, Nov. 26.—The arrest of Mme. Steinheil tonight, following her confession today that for months since the murder of her painter husband and Mme. Japy, who were found strangled in the home of the artist on the morning of May 31st, her attempt to find the assassins and the innumerable fantastic clues furnished the police and the newspapers were only a desperate farce to conceal the real author of the crime, whom she knew, affords Paris the biggest sensation it has had in years.

The excitement produced from time to time by the Humbert Dreyfus and Syvelon affairs pales into insignificance by comparison, and the revelation which crowded thick and fast during the day, pointing to the possible exposure of a national scandal, promise to attract world-wide attention.

Unprecedented scenes were witnessed at the Palace of Justice today while the woman was under examination, guards being required to restrain the crowds entering. On the boulevards men fought for special editions of newspapers containing accounts of the case, while in the lobbies of parliament the nationalists created a hubbub by threatening to call the government to account unless orders were given immediately to probe the scandal to the bottom.

Minister of Justice Briand, who is astonished by the seriousness of the charges, is reported already to have begun a secret inquiry to determine the truth of the allegation printed here this afternoon that Leydett, the examining magistrate, entertained relations with Mme. Steinheil which induced him to stifle the affair. The insinuations behind this charge, which involves the remarkable life history of Mme. Steinheil have been on everybody's lips for months and played the popular curiosity with regard to the crime.

Faure's Name in Scandal.

Political opponents of the government, like Henri Rochefort, have been trying to make political capital of the affair by seeking to force an exposure of the scandal connected with the mysterious death of Felix Faure, president of the republic, in 1899. Although hushed up at the time, it was common knowledge among those behind the scenes that Mme. Steinheil was with M. Faure at the Elysee palace when he died. Some of the Parisian afternoon papers do not hesitate to print what they term the story of the liaison. According to these stories, Faure had met Mme. Steinheil in the Swiss Alps during the maneuvers the year previous to his death, and she was greatly enamored of him.

A person who attended the funeral of Faure described to the Associated Press today how, after the ceremony at the cemetery, Mme. Steinheil fell on her knees at the grave, took from her bosom a bunch of violets and threw them on the coffin. Then, he said, she prostrated herself, sobbing, on the grave, passionately kissing M. Faure's portrait. Immediately after this, according to the same authority, M. Steinheil, who had been complacent at the friendship existing between Faure and his wife and had accepted the Legion of Honor at the hands of President Faure, began proceedings for divorce, but through the intervention of his family his suit was withdrawn. According to gossip compromising papers of some political importance were surrendered, but Rochefort has charged repeatedly that others remained in the possession of Steinheil at the time of his murder.

Had Other Alliances.

After Faure's death, Mme. Steinheil, who admitted last night that she detested her husband, formed other alliances, some with men of political influence. She confessed last night and again today before the authorities that at the time of the murder of her husband and Mme. Japy she had a lover. This man is believed to be a rich nobleman who now is absent from Paris.

La Liberte quotes Mme. Steinheil as saying:

"I had a lover. The police knew of it and treated me with such brutality that our affair was broken off. My heart is crushed and my daughter alone will hold me to life."

To journalists last night, on the other hand, Mme. Steinheil declared that her purpose in the attempts to fasten the crime on various persons, like Couilaun, who was arrested several days ago on suspicion and released tonight, was to clear herself in the eyes of her lover. The police did not place too much reliance in the details of her confession after the wild charges she had made, and believe that the real story of the crime remains to be told. Being convinced that Alexandre Wolff was not connected with the tragedy, they released him tonight.

The evening newspapers say there is absolutely no warrant for the rumors that the son of the illustrious painter whose name has been mentioned in connection with the case is in any way involved in it.

The Intransigent describes the affair as a "drama of love and death, in which one man was murdered to make way for another."

It is said tonight that Mme. Steinheil is definitely charged with complicity in the murder of her husband and Mme. Japy.

In a later examination before Magistrate Leydett there was a dramatic scene, when, after Mme. Steinheil had insisted again, and again that Wolff was the real assassin, her daughter threw herself on her knees before Mme. Steinheil, crying: "Mama, mama, confess all, I implore you."

The mother in a burst of tears responded: "Before my daughter I swear I am innocent."

The anti-Semite Libre Parole charges Mme. Steinheil with having poisoned President Faure. The newspaper recalls that on the day of the funeral a writer on the Libre Parole, who had seen the body, had said:

"All the skill of embalmers was unable to preserve the corpse from the dissolvent action of the subtle poison."

The Journal continues by charging that Chief of Detectives Hamard and Magistrate Leydett knew that the arrest of Mme. Steinheil would inevitably lead to the raking up of the scandalous mystery of Faure's death, which with difficulty had been stifled for ten years, and accordingly did their best to hush up the present inquiry. The newspaper concludes by saying that Faure was poisoned because he was opposed to revision of the Dreyfus case.

Mania for Telling Lies.

PARIS, Nov. 27.—The Petit Parisien this morning says that Magistrate Leydett will withdraw from the investigation of the Steinheil murder case and transfer the papers in the case to Judge Bouard. Mme. Steinheil's family physician describes her as being neurotic and with having a strange mania for telling lies.

UNIVERSITY LIBRARY CORNERSTONE IS LAID

Building Founded on the Doe Bequest Will Be Completed in a Year.

BERKELEY, Nov. 26.—The cornerstone of the new Doe library at the University of California, was laid this morning with impressive ceremonial. President Wheeler delivered the trowel address. The other speakers were Librarian J. C. Rowell and Loring B. Doe, nephew of the late Charles F. Doe, who left $750,000 toward the building fund. President J. K. McLean of the Pacific Theological Seminary acted as chaplain. The corner stone bore the simple legend, "Charles F. Doe, MDCCCCVIII," and was laid at the northwest corner of the new structure. The building is of the steel frame type with concrete and California granite walls, and will have a capacity of four hundred thousand volumes. The front will be embellished with Corinthian columns and the roof will be of Mission tile. It will be finished in a year.

Monument to Indiana Heroes.

ANDERSONVILLE, Ga., Nov. 26.—Governor Hanly of Indiana and party this afternoon unveiled the monument to the Indiana officers who died at Andersonville prison. It is the largest memorial yet placed in the Andersonville national cemetery.

FOUR LOST WHEN STEAMER SINKS

Panama Liner Rammed in New York Harbor, With Eighty-Five Passengers on Board.

NEW YORK, Nov. 26.—In the thick of a fog off Sandy Hook today the steel freighter Georgetc of the White Star Line rammed and sank the lightly laden Panama line steamer Finance, outward bound, with eighty-five passengers. The Finance went down within five minutes, carrying to their death three of the passengers and one of the crew. The rest of the passengers, nineteen women and fourteen children, as well as others of the crew, were rescued by the boats of the Georgie. The freighter was not damaged.

Of the passengers lost one was a woman, Miss Irene Campbell of Panama, who hung frantically to the rail of the sinking vessel and could not be persuaded to release her hold, nor were the men who manned the small boats able forcibly to remove her. She was seen clinging determinedly as the vessel was engulfed.

William E. Todd, third assistant engineer, jumped overboard and was lost. When the roll of the passengers of the Finance was called, it was found that Charles H. Schweinler, a policeman of Panama, and Henry Miller, a railroad conductor of Panama, had disappeared and there was little doubt that they were drowned.

The disaster occurred in the main ship channel off Sandy Hook at 8 o'clock this morning, while both vessels were groping their way through a fog that has held up maritime commerce in local waters for the last three days.

The Finance had weighed anchor and was going down the Swash channel when Captain Mowbray, who was on the bridge, heard the whistle of an approaching liner. The Finance was immediately ordered astern and was slowly backing when the Georgie, inbound from Liverpool, loomed out of the fog and a moment later crashed into the port side and just abaft the beam of the Finance. The prow of the freighter penetrated the side of the Finance fully ten feet. The Panama steamer heeled over to starboard, while men and women, many of whom had been awakened from a sound sleep, were thrown from their berths. Hastily covering themselves with bed clothing, they rushed in a panic to the main deck, which was fast sinking to the surface of the water. Many of the passengers jumped overboard before they could be restrained by the crew of the damaged steamer, some not stopping even to provide themselves with life preservers. That more were not lost was due to the discipline of the crew of the Finance and the prompt and intelligent work of the sailors from the Georgie.

Immediately after the accident the freighter backed off and anchored, her commander, Captain Clark, in the meantime having ordered the lifeboats lowered. The boats of the Finance also were cut away as quickly as possible. Attention was first given to those who had jumped overboard, and a score or more were picked up by the small boats. To add to the confusion, a moment after the impact there was an explosion of an ammonia tank in the forward hold of the Finance and the fumes drove the engineers and firemen to the decks. William Todd, the third assistant engineer, was partly overcome and, staggering to the rail, threw himself overboard. He was not seen again.

The Finance had over 700 bags of mail aboard. Four elephants in the Georgie's hold were not disturbed by the collision.

ONE-TWELFTH MARRIAGES END IN DIVORCE COURT

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—A higher divorce rate in the United States than in any of the other countries where statistics are available is announced by the census bureau, which in a bulletin just issued say that at least one marriage in twelve in this country ultimately terminates in divorce.

The report covers the twenty years from 1887 to 1906 inclusive. In that time there were 12,532,044 marriages and 945,625 divorces, against 328,716 divorces for the preceding twenty years.

Divorce is now two and one half times as common, compared with the married population, as it was forty years ago. Utah and Connecticut are the only states showing a decreased divorce rate.

TORNADO THROWS BARN AGAINST A TRAIN

STEVEN'S POINT, Wis., Nov. 26.—A two-minute tornado which struck this place last night did damage to the extent of about $30,000. A passing train was struck by a barn which the wind carried through the air. The engine was demolished and the fireman severely cut. Many persons were cut and bruised.

TURKISH WAR SCARE AT VIENNA

Austrian Stock Market Is Demoralized By Fear of Conflict Over Balkan Territory.

SERVIA AND MONTENEGRO MAY UNITE WITH PORTE

Newspapers Suppressed for Circulating Stories Regarding Military Preparations—Officials Seek to Calm People.

VIENNA, Nov. 26.—Demoralization, resulting from rumors of a forthcoming conflict in the Balkans, seized the Bourse here and at Budapest today brought many of the prices below the level reached in the panic during the emperor's illness. Great uneasiness is felt over the outcome of the Balkans difficulty.

Many adverse rumors in circulation here obviously are unfounded, but real anxiety surrounds the grave Austro-Turkish relations and the divergent views concerning the conference indicated in Russia's last note to Austria. Further alarm was created tonight by an apparently well grounded report of the approaching conclusion of an anti-Austrian treaty between Turkey, Servia and Montenegro.

Four Viennese newspapers have been confiscated for circulating reports concerning the movement of troops.

The government issued today another statement characterizing the reports of frontier fighting as unfounded and promising that the stock exchanges would be notified immediately in case of any serious occurrence. Its efforts, however, failed to remove the apprehensions or restore confidence of the exchange.

The view here is that the Turkish government is powerless to stop the anti-Austrian boycott, which is a popular movement formulated by the Young Turks committee.

LAMPHERE FOUND GUILTY OF ARSON

Jury Came Within Two of Returning a Verdict of Murder. Defendant Will Appeal Case.

LA PORTE, Ind., Nov. 26.—Ray Lamphere, charged with the murder of Mrs. Belle Gunness and her three children by setting fire to the Gunness house, was found guilty of arson tonight by the jury, which had the case since 5:30 o'clock last evening. Within five minutes after the verdict was reported Judge Richter had sentenced the defendant to the state prison at Michigan City for an indeterminate term of from two to twenty-one years, fined him $5000 and disfranchised him for five years.

Attorney Worden for the defense said tonight that a motion for a new trial would be made, and should it be refused an appeal to the Indiana supreme court would follow. The Indiana supreme court is two years behind in its work, so this case could not be reached until after he had served the minimum time of his sentence. Worden declared the verdict to be ridiculous.

"If he was guilty at all," said the attorney, "he was guilty of murder. He should have been acquitted."

The motion for a new trial will be based on the judge's instruction that a jury could find Lamphere guilty of arson.

Should the case be carried to the supreme court and sent back for retrial Lamphere could not be tried on any charge in this particular case excepting arson, the crime for which he was convicted. However, in an event of that kind, the state would elect to try him on one of the other indictments, probably the Helgelein case.

Members of the jury are reticent about discussing what occurred in the jury room, but enough has been learned to know that but for two members Lamphere would have been found guilty of murder or manslaughter, the verdict being a compromise. Several members of the jury, it is understood, held out long for murder in the first degree, with a life sentence. So far as could be learned, none was for hanging.

Lamphere in a statement tonight said that he was confident that the adult body in the fire was that of Mrs. Gunness. He reiterated his innocence in the matter of setting fire to the house, though admitting that he was on the road and saw the fire that night. He also declared that he did not see Mrs. Gunness kill Helgelein.

"I have no complaint to make about the verdict. Things looked pretty blue, but the verdict might have been worse."

STREET BRAWL TAKEN TO BE A STRIKE RIOT

PERTH AMBOY N. J., Nov. 26.—A street brawl late tonight resulted in the report that an attack had been made upon the National Fireproofing company's works at Keasbey by strikers who in turn were fired upon by the guards. That there had been any firing by the soldiers was denied later, as was also the report that an attack had been made on the plant. Leaders among the strikers denied positively that they had figured in any way in tonight's disturbance which was credited to a quarrel unconnected with the strike.

STRIKERS QUIET IN NEW JERSEY VILLAGE

Needs of Men on Small Pay Urged, But Employers Say They Cannot Increase Wages.

PERTH AMBOY, N. J., Nov. 26.—Although the clay mining and clay working strikers in Keasbey village on the outskirts of this city made no demonstration today and evidence accumulated that they were not likely to use further violence, yet it was decided this afternoon not to withdraw the troops.

All the men were reported tonight out of danger.

Rev. Francis Gross of the Hungarian church and Rev. Julian Zielinski of the Polish church held a meeting with H. M. Keasbey and H. R. Keasbey of the National Fireproofing Company and urged the needs of the men. The priests asked for the increase from $1.35 to $1.50, for which the men have struck. They were told that business conditions did not warrant an advance at this time.

Former Countess Comes Home.

NEW YORK, Nov. 26. — On the steamer Adriatic today from Europe arrived Mrs. Copely, formerly Miss Alice Thaw of Pittsburg. She married the Earl of Yarmouth, but her marriage was annulled in England in February of this year. At that time she dropped her title and took the name of Mrs. Copely-Thaw.

STEEL TARIFF MAY BE REDUCED

Prediction Made of a Lowered Rate of from 15 to 20 Per Cent in the New Legislation.

WASHINGTON, Nov. 26.—From the testimony before the ways and means committee at the tariff hearing yesterday it is evident that some reduction probably 15 to 20 per cent, would be made on iron, steel and iron products when the new tariff bill is framed.

Numerous recommendations have been made to the committee for changing the wording, making new classifications and providing new paragraphs for the metal schedule. Among the articles for which it is proposed to make specific provision are steel wool or shavings, diamond steel, steel grit, iron sand and similar articles; steel saw plates, crucible plate steel, steel circular saw plates, steel strips, knives, chrome metal, ferromanganese, manganese metal, tungsten and similar metals, manufactures of mica and alloys; and other mixed metals not specifically provided for.

Bells, buckles, chatelaine clasps, girdles and other similar articles which have not been specifically mentioned heretofore, have caused endless trouble in classification for duty. Disputes between the government officers and the importers constantly arising, it is proposed to make the law explicit for these articles the same duty imposed on pins not commonly known as jewelry. It is also proposed to restrict the terms "iron plates, steel plates, plate iron and plate steel," as used in the tariff, "to such articles having plain surfaces which may, however, be checkered, corrugated or ribbed, for use as parts of construction, but not as tools or implements in manufacturing."

A duty will also be imposed on all castings of iron or cast iron plates which have been chiseled, drilled, machined or, otherwise advanced in condition by process or operations subsequent to the casting process, but not made up into articles. This will be done in order to frustrate the numerous indefatigable attempts of customs attorneys to secure the entry of manufactured articles of iron at the comparatively low rates for cast iron plates and castings.

The hearings on the metal schedule will be continued tomorrow.

H. E. Miles, chairman of the tariff committee of the National Association of Manufacturers, is expected to address the committee in favor of tariff revision downward. Together with President Van Cleave of the association, Miles was invited to the hearing by Chairman Payne.

JAILED FOR BEGGING FROM MILLIONAIRES

NEW YORK, Nov. 25.—Confessing that he was guilty of sending begging letters to many rich men, William Abbot Foster, who was arrested a few days ago at the Hotel Clarendon, where he occupied the royal suite with his family, was sentenced today to six months on Blackwell's Island on a charge of vagrancy.

Foster was arrested on complaint of the mendicancy bureau of the Charities Society. John D. Rockefeller complained to the society that he had received begging letters from Foster. Investigation showed that a score or more of rich men had been approached by Foster, among them Andrew Carnegie, J. P. Morgan and C. M. Schwab.

The letters to Mr. Rockefeller asked for $5,000,000 as an investment. The police say Foster secured more than $100,000 by his letters. All that Foster would say after he had been sentenced was:

"If they had given me a few days more grace I would have been walking on Fifth avenue with money in my clothes and one of the most respected men in the city. I was about to obtain options on mining land in northern Nevada."

Killed by Gun Accident.

STOCKTON, Cal., Nov. 26.—Daniel Boone Wilson, a drayman residing at Lodi, was instantly killed this evening by the accidental discharge of a loaded shotgun he was carrying while on his way home from a hunting trip. He was nearing his home in Lodi when his hammerless gun was fired by coming in contact with his clothing and the top of his head was blown off. He was a prominent man in that community, aged about 40 and a member of several fraternal organizations. He leaves a wife and several children.

Killed by a Train.

SAN DIEGO, Nov. 26.—James Murphy, a man of 50 years, was run down by the Owl train last night and instantly killed. He was walking along the track near the foot of Eighth street and is supposed not to have heard the train because of the gathering storm. He was known to but few people here, having arrived recently from Alaska, where he was a miner.

VAN CLEAVE SCORES PAYNE AND HIS TARIFF HEARINGS

"Ways and Means Committee Preparing to Leave Schedules Alone Instead of Keeping Agreement to Revise Tariff."

CALLS ON TAFT TO ENFORCE THE PREPARATION OF A BUSINESS-LIKE AND WELL CONSIDERED BILL

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 26.—Concerning the tariff hearings before the ways and means committee at Washington, James W. Van Cleave, president of the National Association of Manufacturers, gave out this statement today:

"Several strange things connect themselves with these hearings. I am told that only about 100 out of 250,000 heads of factories in the country received notice to appear before the committee. In most cases the notice they received was too short to allow them to present carefully prepared statements, although all of them have the privilege of submitting briefs at any time prior to December. The hearings, which will close on December 4, will have covered only about three weeks in the aggregate. The questions put by the leading members of the committee to these manufacturers are admirably calculated to call out answers asking for retention of the present rates of duties or advances in them.

"'Do you not believe that your present duties should be maintained?' is the usual query. Scarcely ever is it put thus: 'Do you think your rates should be reduced?' Eastern papers state that under this seductive coaching one manufacturer who has a duty of 30 per cent now on his product and who acknowledges that he is making a profit on it, asks to have the duty increased to 40 per cent and wants to have the duty taken off the materials which he uses in his factory, thus giving him a chance to swell his profits in two directions. One or two manufacturers who asked for lower duty on their own wares made my friend, Chairman Payne, gasp.

No Bogus Revision Wanted.

"I presume that the committee aims to get, through these hearings, information on which it can base a bill for revision of the Dingley law. In its platform of 1908 the Republican party declared for revision in a special session of congress to be called by the next president just after his inauguration. The country, including the National Association of Manufacturers, assumed that this meant honest and not bogus revision. On this presumption I and a large majority of the other members of the association supported Mr. Taft during the campaign. We used all the influence which we could exert in favor of his election.

"I want to say here, that as in its membership, the National Association of Manufacturers covers almost all the great crafts of the country, we have never, as an association, urged any specific changes, up or down, in any particular schedules. As practical men, however, we know what changes are needed in many cases, and that the public imperatively demands them. All that we ask is that the change be honest and be equitable.

"As shown by his speeches and interviews during the campaign President-elect Taft also interpreted this platform declaration to mean honest revision. It is clear to me from things which some of his close friends have said about him in the last few days that in his message to congress at the opening of the extra session he will insist that the platform promise of honest revision must be carried out in spirit and letter. It is likewise clear to me that in making this demand he will have a large majority of the 8,000,000 Republican voters in the country with him.

Just a Little Sarcasm.

"As these hearings of the committee on a tariff which includes over four thousand items will cover only about three weeks, I suppose that my friend, Payne, must have arranged for investigations by experts in all the leading industrial and commercial centers of Europe and Asia.

"Presumably these experts have been busy ever since the long session of congress closed last spring, and they will continue their work until the eve of the extra session. I have seen no word yet in the papers about the activity of these delegated investigators, but Mr. Payne knows the inadequacy of his committee's inquiries and he therefore must have provided for this supplementary work in the leading Old World centers of trade.

"Mr. Payne's easy confidence in being able to make a readjustment of the tariff schedules which will be satisfactory to the country must mean that he has provided for scientific aid from the outside. I am strengthened in this belief by the fact that he knows that Germany, as a preliminary to its latest tariff revision, created a commission of thirty-two experts and that they gave five years of investigation to the subject, many of them visiting every country on the globe with which Germany had any trade. Several of them came to the United States. Moreover, our tariff covers far more items than Germany's. Our industries are three times as great in volume. In getting its tariff investigation made by a board of experts, Germany was applying business principles to what is pre-eminently a business subject. Railroads, great industrial and commercial houses and all the other larger enterprises in the United States employ experts to inquire into business conditions and make reports on which plans for future activity can be based. The men who are running the big corporation called the United States government know that the trade laws of the universe will not suspend themselves for their gratification.

"If anyone supposes that he can safely assail the public's patience he is taking a gambler's chance. That is how it looks to me at this moment. In politics, as in everything, there is a hereafter, although some of our law-makers sometimes seem to forget this. In our case the hereafter may strike us in 1912. If it gets sufficient provocation it may hit us in the congressional election of 1910.

"We who worked and voted for Taft and a Republican congress, who believe that he and the Republican platform means exactly what they said, and who have faith in his sincerity, his courage, his progressiveness and his devotion to Republican principles, call upon Mr. Taft and the ways and means committee not to forget these elementary truths."

RUMORS OF JAPANESE TREATY PERSISTING

Nipponese Approve Rumored Formation of New Agreement Regarding Orient.

TOKIO, Nov. 26.—Persistent rumors declaring that negotiations are now in progress at Washington between Japanese Ambassador Takahira and Secretary of State Root looking to the interchange of diplomatic notes definitely outlining the policies of both countries, in regard to the Pacific and China, have equal opportunity of finding credence among the newspapers here whose sources of information are generally excellent. One man who may be considered an authority on official matters declared today that he had reason to believe that such notes had already actually been exchanged at Washington but inquiries at the foreign office, while failing to elicit a flat denial of the report, can not be said to have brought out a direct confirmation. The officials of the American embassy are also preserving a discreet silence and no information could be gained there.

These rumors are being widely discussed about Tokio and it may be said that the consensus of opinion tends toward a full belief that the pending exchange of such notes is a well founded report.

An ex-member of the cabinet and a man who held a high position under the former ministry, said today:

"I am not in the confidence of the present ministry concerning every step that is taken, but I have reason to believe that the report that an exchange of notes at Washington is pending is well founded. Every one will be pleased to receive news of the sealing of such a pact of friendship between the two countries as it will forever silence the mischief-makers and calamity howlers who for the past two years have spared no effort to promote friction between America and Japan. A pronouncement which would definitely state the policies of both countries as to the Pacific and Chinese commerce generally, would give great impetus toward the peaceful development of the entire civilized world. I devoutly hope that the rumors are true."

HENEY GOES OUT FOR AUTOMOBILE RIDE

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 26.—Francis J. Heney celebrated Thanksgiving Day by taking an automobile ride in Golden Gate Park. He was accompanied by his wife, Dr. Beasley, Rudolph Spreckels, William J. Burns and James Foley, his bodyguard. Heney, who is rapidly regaining his strength, greatly enjoyed the trip.

CONVICT OBJECTS TO SERVING OUT TIME

Broke His Parole and Now Seeks to Evade Terms Then Granted Him.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 25.—Frank Kelly, a convict in the Folsom prison, filed a petition of habeas corpus with the Supreme court today in an endeavor to secure release on the ground that he was illegally imprisoned.

Kelly was convicted of burglary in Sacramento in 1897, sentenced to fifteen years in Folsom and with credits earned would have been released in September, 1906, had not Governor Pardee commuted his sentence in May, 1905. The governor released him upon the condition that if Kelly should be again convicted of felony he would be returned to the prison and be compelled to serve the extra sixteen months. Twenty months later Kelly was again convicted and sentenced to serve two years in San Quentin. At the expiration of this term Kelly was sent back to Folsom to serve out the extra sixteen months which it was claimed by the state officials he had lost by committing a felony.

Kelly contends in his petition that his second conviction did not occur until four months after the expiration of his full term, if he had served it, in Folsom, and that therefore he did not break the conditions laid down by Gov. Pardee.

AGED COUPLE SAVED FROM GAS POISONING

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Miller, each more than 70 years of age were saved from death by asphyxiation this morning by Mrs. A. Seminer, a relative with whom they lived at No. 1143 South Grand avenue.

A leaky gas pipe caused the trouble. When Mr. and Mrs. Miller retired Wednesday night they turned off the gas. During the night the pipe sprung a leak and filled the room with the poisonous fumes.

At the California hospital they were resuscitated and later returned to their home.

Rain at San Diego.

SAN DIEGO, Nov. 26.—The northern storm reached here about 10 p. m. last night and brought an inch or two of rain in the county, .90 in the city, 1.25 inches at Sweetwater and 1.26 inches at Cuyamaca reservoir, with about the same reports from Otay and Morena reservoirs. The seasonal fall is 1.59 inches in the city, which is .85 of an inch in excess of the record. The storm ceased at sunrise and the sky is now clear.

SMALL BOY SHOOTS DRUNK STEPFATHER

Brutal Man Beat His Wife and Tried to Choke the Boy, When He Was Killed.

HEALDSBURG, Cal., Nov. 26.—Fred Ingerman, aged 13 years, shot and killed his stepfather, John Day, last night at the family residence near this town. Day, who was under the influence of liquor, beat his wife and the child at supper time and ordered the boy to bed. Instead of obeying the order the boy obtained a revolver and finished the meal. After supper Day renewed his attack on his wife, and the boy went to her assistance. Day seized the youth by the throat, threw him on a bed and was choking him when he drew the revolver and fired, the bullet penetrating Day's forehead and inflicting a fatal wound. The boy then came to town and surrendered himself to the authorities.

HATRED OF AUSTRIA CONTINUES IN ITALY

ROME, Nov. 26.—The demonstrations here against Austria, arising from the attack in Vienna a few days ago upon a number of Italian students agitating for the establishment of an Italian university at Trieste, have not yet ceased and the authorities still maintain a cordon of troops around the Austro-Hungarian embassy.

The continuance of the disturbances has made necessary the postponement until next Monday of the meeting of the International Institute of Agriculture, originally set for today.

London Wool Market.

LONDON, Nov. 26.—At today's wool auction sales, 13,551 bales were offered. There was a fine selection and a brisk demand at firm prices, especially for light greasy grades and medium cross-breds. A good portion was taken by America, France and the home trade were keen purchasers of coarse cross-breds and Germany secured the bulk of the scoured merinos.

Minnesota Mill Burns.

CROOKSTON, Minn., Nov. 26.—The big mill of the Red Lake Milling company at Red Lake burned today. Loss $50,000.

HUMBOLDT HUNTER POSSIBLY MURDERED

Party Sees Him Fall Dead With Bullet Wound, But No Trace of His Assailant.

EUREKA, Cal., Nov. 26.—Word was received here tonight of what may have been a cowardly murder or an accident, as the result of which Bert Porter, aged 32, a blacksmith at McKinleyville, lost his life this afternoon while duck hunting on a lagoon a mile and a half from his home.

William Pardon, Walter Elseon and Mr. and Mrs. Rogers of Arcata, while rowing on the lagoon, saw Porter sitting on the bank, shotgun in hand. Suddenly they heard the report of a gun and saw Porter fall prostrate. Believing he had accidentally shot himself, they went to him at once and found him dead, his own gun undischarged. Investigation showed that Porter had been shot with a rifle, a 30-30 bullet having pierced his brain. No person with a rifle was found, although several duck hunters in the vicinity started at once and spread news among all persons in the vicinity.

Porter's family and friends know of no enemies. Porter had lived for twenty-two years in McKinleyville and was very popular.

BATTLESHIP MEN LAND FOR A DAY'S OUTING

MANILA, Nov. 27.—Twelve hundred men of the Atlantic fleet were granted shore liberty by Admiral Sperry today. They landed during a driving rain storm in the afternoon, the weather forcing abandonment of out of door portions of the entertainment. The receptions and indoor features were carried out. There were free shows for the men at the various theaters tonight which were well attended.

Governor General Smith gave a reception at his palace in the Malacanan district tonight for which over 2000 invitations to the officers of the fleet and the officials of the city were issued.

SUICIDES BECAUSE HUSBAND OBJECTED TO LOTTERY PLAYING

OAKLAND, Nov. 26.—Piqued because her husband scolded her for playing Chinese lottery Mrs. Etta Branch, aged 45 years, swallowed carbolic acid this afternoon at her home on Seventh street with fatal result.

"TAG, I'M IT" IS MERRY GAME FRESNO CITIZENS WILL PLAY TOMORROW FOR WORTHY CAUSE

WHEN A PRETTY MAID PINS TAG ON YOU, IT'S UP TO YOU TO LOOK PLEASANT, AS OF COURSE YOU WILL, AND DIG FOR DIMES, OR EVEN LARGER CHANGE, FOR THIS IS THE WAY THE GAME IS TO BE PLAYED.

THE COMMITTEE OF WORKERS WHO FORMULATED PLANS FOR "TAG DAY."

Mrs. H. C. Warner.

Mrs. L. P. Swift.

Mrs. J. D. Morgan.

Mrs. D. D. Allison.

You will be out of the fashion if you are out of "tag day." Tomorrow's the day. The biggest, busiest day in the history of Fresno. It will be the same as prosperity day and the result of this day will go abroad to indicate the financial niftiness of the county. Get together and give the county a good boost that will make Los Angeles prosperity day look like a collection in the poor house.

Your help will mean much towards the success of this enterprise. Every dollar you give will mean one more brick in the new Young Woman's Christian association on J and Tuolumne streets. Why should you give towards this? Because the reputation of a city is made upon its public buildings and upon the spirit of its citizens for one thing. If you are simply public spirited you will help in "tag day," but if you are also philanthropic and generous hearted to your fellow man you will make your contributions twice as large.

There is no more noble work carried on in Fresno than the work of the Young Woman's Christian association. The city is full of homeless, friendless girls who need protecting care, who need a kind word of encouragement and sympathy. There is no one to extend the welcoming hand but the Young Women's Christian association. This institution is unable properly to fill the needs that come beneath its notice because of insufficient equipment. Your dimes and dollars on "tag day" will give the association the encouragement and aid which it richly deserves. For four years a handful of noble women have labored unceasingly and against all sorts of odds—struggling to get funds—struggling to keep alive. They have pulled through and with your freely given aid will fill your heart with pride in the splendid building which they are going to erect. Property owners and real estate men realize that the more creditable buildings erected the greater the boom to the city. This is another incentive to "get busy" on tag day.

Just for Saturday everybody is going back some years and be children and enjoy the frolic. For that is what it is going to be—one big carnival of jolly people—the "taggers" and the "taggees." You will be in one of these two great classes. And no matter which one you represent, be "game" and look pleasant.

Some one has predicted that there will be 50,000 people in Fresno tomorrow. It certainly looks very much like it. No one wants to miss the fun and so it is safe to predict that the city will be as much astir as though "the greatest show on earth" was coming to town.

This morning are shown the various "tags" which will be seen tomorrow. To the lettering on the official tag, which reads, "Tag, I'm It," the ladies are indebted to Gus Manheim of the Kutner-Goldstein company, who has taken a lively interest in the ladies' schemes all the way through and has given many valuable suggestions.

To Miss Gertrude Swift, whose artistic gift evolved the pretty little tag that will be so much in evidence, the ladies owe a big vote o f thanks. She arranged the color scheme and the very ingenious monogram of the association and the original water color production which she made is to be called the first tag and will be auctioned.

On the Grand Central corner tomorrow evening W. Parker Lyon will be the official auctioneer, who sells the gold tag to the expectant multitude.

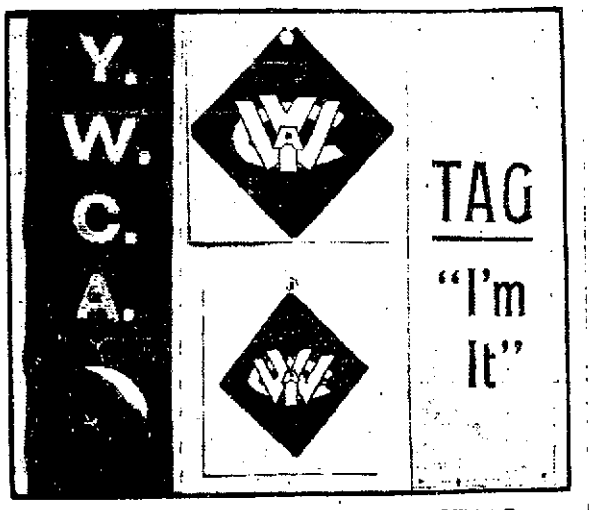
Commanding General Evans asks that all captains and workers be at their appointed posts at 8.30 o'clock tomorrow morning. Tags will be brought to them there and other supplies needed can be obtained from the general distribution center at Monroe's drug store. Every tag seller must be supplied with an official tag. Mrs. W. T. Barr has kindly consented to assist as secretary at the distributing center.

A feature of the day will be the band concert in the evening from 7 until 8 o'clock at the Grand Central corner, to be followed by the auction of the gold tag and other articles, including a handsome black hat donated by Mrs. J. G. Porter, the milliner, and several other trophies previously mentioned, all of which are on exhibition in their respective windows.

Robert Galbraith has been put in charge of the boys on the street cars and promises to make an able captain. The entire list of captains up to date is as follows: Mrs. George L. Hoxie, Mrs. S. L. Wiley, Mrs. J. D. Morgan, Mrs. J. M. Brooks, Mrs. H. W. Neely, Mrs. T. W. Patterson, Miss Sue Daly, Mrs. Alfred Braverman, Mrs. C. H. Hotaling, Mrs. J. C. Cooper, Mrs. DeWitt H. Gray, Mrs. Otis Turner, Mrs. W. A. Fisher, Mrs. Duncan, Mrs. W. D. Coates, Mrs. George Monroe, Mrs. Frank Bergin, Mrs. D. D. Allison, Miss Kate Parsons, Mrs. H. D. Carver, Mrs. S. S. Hockett, Mrs. F. E. Cook, Mrs. G. R. Taylor, Mrs. Alva E. Snow, Mrs. W. B. McElwee, Miss Ruth Nil.

Assisting the general, Mrs. A. B. Evans, and Miss Sayre, her first assistant, is the capable committee whose pictures appear today and which includes, Mrs. L. P. Swift, Mrs. H. C. Warner, Mrs. D. D. Allison, Mrs. John Morgan. Their work in this affair needs no comment. It speaks for itself. Their devotion and thought has been concentrated on this one effort with what result will be shown by tomorrow night.

The officers of the Young Women's Christian association, which is to receive the benefit of "tag day," are as follows: President, Miss Julia Sayre; general secretary, Miss Anna McCormick; secretary, Mrs. A. E. Snow; treasurer, Mrs. L. P. Swift; first vice president, Mrs. W. B. McElwee; second vice president, Mrs. A. B. Evans; third vice president, Mrs. S. L. Wiley; fourth vice president, Mrs. John D. Morgan.



Gold Tag. Original Tag. "The" Tag. Official Tag.

Social and Club News

Thanksgiving Day was duly celebrated in Fresno's social circles yesterday rather more quietly than usual. Family dinners were the rule. In some cases, however, this means a goodly gathering of the clans from far and near. Nearly every hearthstone welcomed some additional "stranger within the gates," which is part of the joy of Thanksgiving. The football game in the afternoon, even though the balance of skill fell to the visitors, was none the less a regular jollification for the young people, the home team suffering defeat with becoming grace. On account of this and other attractions most of the Thanksgiving feastings took place in the evening.

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A Thanksgiving wedding of much interest was solemnized at St. James church at 8 o'clock last evening, when Miss Julia Cole was married to William B. Lane of Sacramento. The church was filled with the friends of the bride, who has lived in this city about three years, during which time she has gathered about her many warm friends. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Cole of this city and is a girl of much charm and beauty. She is musically most accomplished. The groom is a prominent young business man of Sacramento, connected with the Albert Elkus company.

The church was quite simply decorated for the event in clusters of chrysanthemums and potted plants. Preceding the bridal party up the aisle were two dainty little maids in white frocks, who strewed the bride's pathway with rose petals. Milton Salor was the gallant young ring bearer.

Miss Gertrude Cole, a sister of the bride, and Miss Grace Van Zandt were very dainty looking bridesmaids. They were gowned alike in pale blue silk and carried white carnations. Mrs. Jack Forgie was an exceedingly handsome matron of honor. She wore a stunning frock of white satin and carried a shower bouquet of asparagus fern.

The bride entered the church with her father, who at the altar gave her into the keeping of the groom. She was a lovely picture in her shimmering satin wedding gown of pearl white, softened by a long tulle veil which enveloped her slender figure and which contrasted effectively with her brunette beauty. She carried a cluster of bride's roses. At the altar the bride was met by the groom and his best man, Elwood McCourt. Rev. Harvey Hanson, rector of the church, read the impressive Episcopal service. The ushers were Jack Forgie and Roy Thacker.

After the church service a reception was held at the bride's home, 1452 K street, which was attended by a large number of the bride's friends. The wedding party received in an attractive bower of green, arranged in one corner of the reception room. Long garlands of smilax hung from the chandeliers to the corners of the room, while quantities of woodwardia ferns, palms and other potted plants decorated very beautifully, clusters of yellow chrysanthemums adding the color note.

The dining room, where refreshments were served, carried out the same yellow and green color scheme very charmingly. Mr. and Mrs. Lane received a number of beautiful gifts, which were displayed in an adjoining apartment to the reception room.

The newly wedded pair departed on the north-bound Owl for San Francisco, thence to Sacramento, where they will reside. Mrs. Lane wore a becoming suit of brown as her going-away frock, with hat to match.

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Thanksgiving Day was delightfully celebrated in the Helm family yesterday by a gathering of the clans at the William Helm home on Fresno street. This is an annual gathering place for the various members of the large and congenial family, including Mr. and Mrs. George Helm, Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Maupin and two sons, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Walrond and three sons, Dr. and Mrs. Montgomery Thomas, with their two young daughters and Master Robert Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Helm and two sons, DeWitt Helm and the host.

Another Thanksgiving dinner party was given by Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Baker, who have as their guests over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Joseph F. Hixson of Los Angeles, with their two daughters, Misses Mable and Mary Hixson. The Hixsons are well remembered former Fresnans and have a host of friends here, who welcome them with genuine pleasure on their annual visit here. The groups about this dinner table included some old friends of the Hixsons, the Frank Romans, the Harvey Swifts and one or two others.

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Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gray, with Mrs. Gray's mother, Mrs. D. F. Verdenal of New York city, dined en famille with Colonel and Mrs. William Forsyth at their vineyard home, and later in the day joined the DeWitt Grays and the Frank Grays at the former's home on San Joaquin street.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Cosgrave welcomed beneath their hospitable portico Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Anderson, Miss Eva Patton of Sanger and Frank Kauke.

Another informal dinner was that at which Mr. and Mrs. Frank Shepherd were hosts, having as their guests Mr. and Mrs. Robert Barton and Miss Blanch Barton.

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At noon yesterday the parsonage of the First Methodist church took place the marriage of William Austin and Miss Vera A. Cullins. The groom is the mathematics teacher in the Fresno high school, while his bride but just arrived in Fresno yesterday, having journeyed from her home in Terre Haute, Ind., to be married in California. Rev. Charles Coke Woods of the First Methodist church was the officiating clergyman. The ceremony was witnessed by several of the groom's friends. Mr. and Mrs. Austin will begin housekeeping immediately in a cosy cottage which has been made ready for them.

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Mrs. W. P. Lyon has as Thanksgiving week-end visitors her two brothers, Charles and Fred Elsey of Oakland.

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At the residence of the pastor of the First Baptist church yesterday afternoon was solemnized the marriage of Frank B. Edminson and Elizabeth M. Letts, Rev. Arthur Polk Brown officiating. The bride formerly lived in Santa Rosa, New Mexico, and came here to join the groom, who is superintendent of electrical installation at the power house on Kern river. The newly wedded couple will make their home at the power house.

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The "Lambs" held an initiation on Saturday night, receiving as a new member Miss Helen Rogers. The ceremonies took place at the home of Miss Dorothea Burdick and later there was a little spread at Miss Margaret Cory's.

GYPSIES LAND IN THE COUNTY JAIL

Men Are Arrested and Held on a Charge of Vagrancy.

In response to numerous complaints which have come from the western part of the city, the police yesterday arrested four of the male members of a gypsy camp located on some vacant lots in that part of town and these men are now behind the bars of the county jail on a charge of vagrancy. The women do all the work and earn what little money they can by telling fortunes. The men do nothing but lie around. They claim they are horse traders, but this didn't go down with the police.

For some time the women of the camp have been going about the city and many have crossed palms with them, their great skill in sleight-of-hand thus bringing in many pieces of coin.

There are four wagons, eight horses and about a dozen children in the camp and it was for this reason that the police did not arrest the women also. The men gave their names as John, Pete, Steve and Jake Mart, but when one of the women went to the jail yesterday to secure the release of her husband she gave her name as Mary Adams. It is probable that the entire camp will be ordered to move to some other locality where the women can ply their trade without much trouble from the police.

R. G. BARTON GIVES UP BAKERSFIELD HOUSE

Robert G. Barton has given up his lease of the Bakersfield opera house, which he held from the Bakersfield Improvement Company since the house was first opened. William T. Horne, who has had charge of the house for Mr. Barton, will continue as manager under the Bakersfield Improvement Company.

TO CURE YOUR RHEUMATISM

Why Not Employ a Method of Treatment That Is Not an Experiment?

Inflammatory rheumatism, acute rheumatism and rheumatic fever are different names for the same thing.

It comes on with hardly any warning. The pain is severe and there is a tendency of the disease to attack the heart, which it may have fatal results.

Anyone who has suffered from inflammatory rheumatism knows that the usual treatment is highly unsatisfactory. External applications of hot cloths and liniments and internal doses of salicylates to relieve the pain are not enough, for they do not drive the poison from the blood and the sufferer is liable to renewed attacks whenever exposed to draughts, cold or dampness.

To cure rheumatism so that it will stay cured the rheumatic poison in the blood must be driven out and the blood made rich and red. When the blood is pure there can be no rheumatism. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills build up the blood and cure rheumatism in the only logical way.

Mr. Howard C. Decker of No. 42 Butler street, Paterson, N. J., owes his cure of this painful disease to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. He tells of his experience as follows:

"I suffered with inflammatory rheumatism for about two years and think it was hereditary in my case as my father was afflicted with it for years. I was confined to my bed with it for nearly three months following the first attack. The rheumatism was in my knees and legs and finally worked down to the feet and ankles. For eighteen months I was unable to walk on my left heel. My knees, ankles and feet were swollen and I could not put on my shoes. I suffered with terrible pains, even the weight of the bed clothes on my limbs caused me intense agony. For a short time the rheumatism was in my arms and shoulders. I was helpless and unable to work. I was extremely nervous and had no control over my muscles. I lost in weight from 151 pounds to 123 pounds.

"Different doctors pronounced my case incurable and their medicines did not have much effect. I was finally led to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills through reading a newspaper. My general condition gradually improved under this treatment and after giving the pills a fair trial I was entirely cured. I can now walk as well as ever and have no pain at all. I have regained my weight and never felt better in my life. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are certainly a wonderful blood medicine."

If you are suffering from rheumatism in any form and find that the treatment you are taking does not relieve you, or if you are actually getting worse while taking other treatment then do not delay but give Dr. Williams' Pink Pills a thorough trial. The remedy that cures others will cure you.

A valuable booklet, "Diseases of the Blood," containing more information about rheumatism and other diseases of the blood will be sent free upon request.

Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all druggists or will be sent, postpaid, on receipt of price, 50 cents per box, six boxes for $2.50, by the Dr. Williams Medicine Company, Schenectady, N. Y.

Make Fresno prosperity center by getting busy on "Tag Day."

News of Central California

TURLOCK EXPERIENCES BIG BUILDING BOOM

Everybody, It Seems, Is Putting Up Handsome Home.

Population Will Increase 1000 Within Year, Is Confident Prediction.

TURLOCK Nov. 26.—Turlock is experiencing a healthy building boom that looks good to the residents of this place. The town is going ahead rapidly, but withal it can hardly keep pace with the country, for the residents of the Turlock irrigation district are arriving by every train from every section of the union, and they must have homes.

There is a constant stream of teams hauling lumber to the country, and the lumber merchants and those who deal in builders' hardware are reaping a harvest.

Among those country residents who have lately built or are building is Mr. Neville, who has just completed a fine home of five rooms, including the best of plumbing, a bath room, pantries and closets, with screen porches and those appliances which go to make up a comfortable home. Mr. Neville also erected a tank house, and a barn 30x52, roomy enough for lots of horses, cows and a large mow for hay. Tornell & Larson had the contract for house, barn and tank house.

J. P. Hultgren, who owns a splendid forty acre tract three miles southwest of Turlock, is this week completing a six room cottage and a large barn, and is getting ready to move in at once. Mr. Hultgren is a recent arrival from Michigan, and intends to start work with a good home, and will in time have one of the beautiful places of the district. Tornell & Larson have the contract for this work.

Charles Soderquist, who resides two and a quarter miles west of Turlock, is building a two story house of eight rooms. It is of handsome architectural design and will make an attractive addition to the string of homes on the north and south road on which it fronts. Mr. Soderquist is an old time carpenter and contractor and is doing the work himself.

Plans were issued this week of a beautiful cottage to be erected for George Wall, postmaster at Blackfoot, Idaho, who will move here within the coming year. This house will be one of the handsomest in the district. This section is building up very rapidly, as there have been twelve houses erected along a stretch of a mile and a quarter from the east and west road, along the road running south, during the two years past.

In Turlock the people have been so busy building homes that one has to make the rounds nearly every day to see who has started building operations. Among those who are now building houses is John Alford, who has three cottages under construction. They are tasty, with modern conveniences such as electric lights, water and sanitary plumbing. These houses will be rented when completed, and have all been spoken for. J. I. Bobst is the contractor.

The house of A. Chatom is to be ready for occupancy by Christmas. J. I. Bobst, the contractor, has this house. The house is of nine rooms, with many conveniences. It is wired for electric lights, has plenty of roomy closets, and is a desirable home. Mr. Chatom is also having finished a huge tank house, which will hold a tank of 7500 gallons. Mr. Chatom is superintending the work.

Mr. Voigt, the well known barber, has just had completed a neat cottage on Lander avenue and has moved in. The surrounding homes are handsome and this section of our city is one to be proud of.

A. S. Thompson, a prosperous farmer of the Keyes section, this week let the contract for a six room cottage to be built in the Angelus Park tract. Work will be started next week. It is probable that Mr. Thompson will also build another cottage for rent as soon as the one contracted for is completed.

S. L. Ritchey has just completed a storage warehouse at the rear of his residence on Lander avenue, where he will store much furniture for which he has no room in his store on Main street.

S. P. Riffell, the contractor, is erecting a four room cottage for Rev. Mackaye, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal church. This cottage is to have pantry, bath and other conveniences, and within the next week the reverend gentleman will be nicely installed in his new home, and ready to greet his many friends.

August Peterson is completing a home on Center street, in the midst of many other lovely homes. It is of four rooms, bath room, and is handily arranged. Tornell & Lawson have the contract.

Among the builders in the Angelus Park tract is John Rapp, who is having a story and one-half residence erected. This house is one of the most conveniently arranged of any in town. It is being wired for electricity, has been thoroughly plumbed, and has roomy closets, bath room, reception hall, etc. It occupies a sightly corner and is in a rapidly growing district. Tornell & Larson are doing the work.

L. F. Lewis is completing a six room cottage in the Angelus Park tract. Oyer Brothers of Dennir had the contract for building this cottage, which is to be occupied by Mr. Lewis within the next week. This is a conveniently arranged home and will be a distinct addition to the district in which it is built. It has many conveniences and was built with the idea of comfort.

The new home being erected for Edwin Johnson on Lander avenue, one block from Main street, will be one of the neatest cottages on the street. It has six rooms and bath, pantry, roomy closets, and is of a very pretty design. Screen porches will keep out the flies, and the modern conveniences will make this a cozy home for the owner. Tornell & Larson are the builders. They are also to build a barn for Mr. Johnson.

A new comer to Turlock is P. A. Nelson, lately of Oakland, who was unable to rent a house here, and knowing that there is no better city in the state, he decided to erect a home for his own use. He is a contractor and builder, and is doing the work. His house is to be of the latest style of architecture, and is built after a house Mr. Nelson saw the past summer at Portland, Oregon. It is unique in design, and "something different." It is being substantially erected, and when completed will have eight large rooms, reception hall, sanitary plumbing, electric lights and be modern in every respect.

P. G. Larson is having a cottage of four rooms, pantry and bath erected on Lander avenue. Though small, this will be one of the prettiest cottages in Turlock. It is piped for water and sewer, wired for electricity, and will have hot and cold water handy. The woodwork inside is to be burnished to bring out the grain of the wood, which is of Oregon pine. When finished Mr. Larson will have a tasty home. Wakefield & Peterson are the contractors.

Fred Hudiberg and wife are having a beautiful home erected in the northeast part of this city. It is a neat little cottage, conveniently arranged, has six rooms, bath, reception hall, and large closets. The kitchen has every convenience so much appreciated by the housewife. The work was done by Samuel Hudiberg of Merced.

G. F. Dunsmore has built a nice home in the Angelus Park tract. The cottage is of four rooms, and will make a cosy place for Mr. Dunsmore and family.

The demand for carpenters is good, although there are many carpenters in the field for business. The growth of Turlock is steady and as fast as a cottage is built it is occupied. It is a safe prediction to say that Turlock will gain a population of one thousand more people in less than a year.

The ladies of the Christian church are serving a fine Thanksgiving dinner at the tabernacle today. Turkey is the piece de resistance, accompanied by many good things.

Albert Holmquist and Otto Swanson of Julesburg, Colrado, arrived the past week and have each purchased fifty acres of land in the Spanker tract, a few miles north of Turlock. It is the intention of these gentlemen to make many improvements on the land and to follow diversified farming.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Siem have moved into their new cottage, which was recently completed at their ranch three miles south of Turlock. This is a five room cottage, with bath and many conveniences, and was built for comfort. Wakefield & Peterson were the contractors.

VISALIA LOSES TO BAKERSFIELD

Neat Place Kick in Second Half Give Southern Boys the Game.

VISALIA, Nov. 26.—A neat place kick in the last part of the second half proved the undoing of the Visalia High school football team this afternoon and Bakersfield won by a score of 4 to 0. The game will go down in the annals of football in this city as the greatest game ever seen on the local grounds. The Bakersfield team made three tries at the goal before the ball finally sailed between the posts.

Visalia will play the Lowell High school team on Christmas and will go to Bakersfield New Year's day.

The Dinuba High school played its third 0 to 0 game this year with Porterville this afternoon. The other teams with which it has tied are Bakersfield and Tulare.

Dinuba and Bakersfield are now tied for the championship of the interscholastic league. They will play the tie off within a few weeks.

FARMERS' UNION MEETS TOMORROW

The annual meeting of the Farmers' Union of the county will be held tomorrow morning at 9:30 o'clock. Delegates will be present from each local union. Officers will be elected and other important matters are scheduled to come up.

The union is growing rapidly. According to reports new unions have been organized at Eschol, Okvale, Kingsburg and Ross and Canal. The state organizer is constantly in the field, forming new locals.

STANISLAUS TEACHERS BACK GRAFT FIGHT

Commend Men Seeking Uplift of Metropolis.

Deep Sympathy Expressed for Heney and Hope for Speedy Recovery.

MODESTO, Nov. 26.—The teachers' institute of Stanislaus county, which has been in session here for the past three days, yesterday adopted the following resolutions:

"Whereas, We as teachers are vitally interested in inculcating the principles of honesty in the men and women of tomorrow, and

"Whereas, We should rejoice at any movement that makes for civic righteousness and honesty in our state, therefore, be it

"Resolved, That we express our unhesitating approval of the work of the men who have been so nobly striving to make San Francisco a cleaner and more upright city, and furthermore be it

"Resolved, That the secretary be instructed to communicate this part of our resolutions to Francis J. Heney and express our deep and sincere desire for his speedy and complete recovery of health and strength."

There were present at the institute 120 county instructors, besides the state superintendent of public instruction, and well known teachers from the two big universities, and all subscribed unanimously to the above resolutions.

Rain fell steadily here all day yesterday and by evening nearly an inch had fallen. The precipitation since Sunday amounts to about one and one-half inches, which practically insures the green feed of which the stockmen have been so much in need for some time. This rain will also soften the ground sufficient for plowing and seeding.

To Clean the Sink.

Every sink should be provided with a three-cornered sieve made by covering a metal frame with very fine wire netting. When water is thrown into the sink it should be turned into this sieve, which retains every particle of solid matter, preventing its getting into the pipes and causing trouble. It is also much neater. Each morning the sink should be thoroughly cleaned. Dissolve a teaspoonful of Gold Dust washing powder in hot water and with a whisk broom wash the basket thoroughly; then carefully scrub every portion of the sink, pouring some of the hot suds down the pipe to loosen grease that may have gathered in the trap.

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NOT FEES, BUT DAMAGES

It is reported in the San Francisco Globe (which ought to know) that Henry Ach is to receive $100,000 and Tom Dozier $50,000 for defending Abe Ruef. What do they get it for? For exceptional genius? Ach, perhaps. Henry Ach is probably the acutest technical quibbler in California. For that skill, he could probably get $10,000 from corporation clients, which he will not have time to earn by reason of his occupation in the Ruef trial. His time being worth $10,000, Ruef should pay it. Double that, for indirect loss, extending beyond the time of the trial, and we have $20,000. Double that, for the extra strenuousness of labor in this trial, and we have $40,000. And still we are short of half the estimated fee. What is the other $60,000 for?

Obviously, to compensate for sacrificed reputation. Henry Ach had not much reputation to lose for large-measured dignity and professional punctiliousness, but he had some. At least, his standing at the bar was such that he was hired by clients to render them legal services in a legal way. To render Ruef legal services in a legal way was worth perhaps one-fifth of what he will get. The other four-fifths is to compensate him for the permanent loss imposed on himself by the necessity, in this case, of publicly rendering illegal services in an illegal way, by violating his oath to serve justice, and deliberately obstructing justice. There are degrees of self-humiliation that can not be had cheap.

And Dozier? A new lawyer, comparatively unknown in San Francisco, with his city practice still to make, but with some recent political prestige which opened the way to getting that practice, he finds his very first case one which definitely closes his political career and permanently lowers the standard of his prospective practice. The services he will render, measured by the price he had been getting from other people, for legal work, would be worth a few hundred, or may be a thousand or two dollars. But permanently to blight a more or less promising career is a more serious matter. It is a damage of cash value.

So Ruef is paying not fees, but damages, to his attorneys. And, considering the amount of injury, the price is cheap.

"PUNISHMENT"

The charge of bribery against former Senator Eli Wright has been dismissed, on the ground that he can not be found, and that it would now be impossible to convict him anyway. Immediately after the case is dismissed, it is given out that Wright is in Montevideo, where he went immediately after pledging all his property to his bondsmen and skipping his bail, and that he will return at once. So the boodling senator will come back a free man and unpunished.

Unpunished? For three years this man has been a fugitive, hiding his face at the ends of the world. To escape at all he had to impoverish himself and then he had to leave his helpless family to struggle on in want, suffering for his crime. He will come back a marked man. To his dying day he will be pointed out as the man who sold his vote in the California legislature and fled to South America to escape the penitentiary. He will find the struggle for existence twice as hard as before, and may count it success if he succeeds in making a bare living for his family. He will hand down to his children only a dishonored name, which it is to be hoped they will by honorable conduct redeem; but, even if they do, he will feel that he is himself shut out from that redemption. Three years of terror and suffering; life blasted for one generation and handicapped for two; and a brand of dishonor that will outlast death—this is the "unpunished" freedom of Eli Wright!

It is punishment enough. Any criminal with the glimmer of a soul is "punished" enough, whether he keeps out of prison or not. And there is no evading that punishment. The added punishment of the law is a safeguard of the peace and order of society, and a stern expression of human justice. The legal punishment can not be abolished. But don't congratulate the guilty man who manages to escape it. He probably has worse.

WHERE IGNORANCE IS BLISS

That is fine sarcasm of President Van Cleave of the Manufacturers' association, in which he calls attention to the fact that Germany kept a commission of thirty-two scientific experts at work, investigating all over the world, for five years, before revising the comparatively simple German tariff, while Chairman Payne proposes to revise our much more complex tariff after three weeks of hearings, with no expert advice at all. It is a fine sarcasm, and well justified. But it will fall on deaf ears. The American people do not believe in experts. They are profoundly convinced that one man's opinion is as good as another's—or better. If a man has spent a lifetime investigating a certain subject, especially if he has done it scientifically and thoroughly, his opinion is thereby put under suspicion. His advice is not wanted, and is resented. Especially is the idea resented that such men know more about the subjects of their special knowledge than other people. The "practical man," who knows where to buy certain goods and what to sell them at, is entitled to great respect, especially if he has made money at the transaction. But the scientific man, who knows what those goods are made of, and what processes are involved, is at best a mere useful employe; but his opinions must not be considered. Most experts are connected with universities; and therefore do not know anything. In fact, anybody who has been to school, beyond the "three R's" is under considerable suspicion, and if he stayed in school long enough to acquire special knowledge of anything, he is branded for life as an ignoramus. The proper way to select an expert horticulturist is to choose the man who delivered the most votes in his supervisoral district. Somebody's friend is ex-officio a statistician. Good fellowship is a sufficient certificate as chartered accountant. A man who has made a good mayor of Grand Rapids will therefore make a good consul at Bordeaux, especially if he knows no French and can not tell claret from port. George Knight is an ideal commander of the American navy, and George Stone ought to be naval officer of the port of San Francisco. A bank commissioner ought not to have any experience in banking, and any good advertising solicitor, who stands in, is a competent railroad commissioner. We made a controller of the currency out of a blacksmith (and he finally learned the job) and we have had high major generals who did not know which side to buckle their swords on.

It is all democracy—the doctrine that nobody is any taller than anybody else, that nobody knows any more than anybody else, and that expert skill can be conferred by majority vote. And it is the falsest, shallowest conception of democracy possible. It would make Thomas Jefferson turn in his grave. But it is a very common hallucination, and is, in fact, the chief obstacle to our achieving a true democracy.

HOW DID THEY EARN IT?

"Organization, executive management and foresight"—these are the services for which the great "captains of industry" are traditionally supposed to receive their great rewards. Yet we have just had the confessions of the head men of the greatest of all the consolidated industries that they did not render any of these services. Rockefeller did not originate the oil trust—Flagler and Archbold did that. Neither, during most of his career, did he manage it. And the men who did manage it have just confessed to a complete lack of foresight. They did not anticipate any of the business conditions and opportunities which have developed, and none of the things for which they did plan have turned out right. To these men, rendering neither management, foresight nor original organization, have gone the greatest rewards the history of industry has ever known. What did they do to earn them?

Since there is probably no law under which Emmet Riggins can be required to keep out of Fresno, doubtless the best that can be done is to notify the saloon men that any person selling or giving Emmet Riggins a drink, or permitting him inside of his place, will have his license revoked instantly. And the law against carrying concealed weapons should be enforced on Emmet Riggins, whether it is enforced on any one else or not. In fact, while he is in town, there is perhaps the less reason for enforcing it on other people.

FOOTBALL SCORES

At Fresno—Berkeley High school 22, Fresno High school 6.
At Visalia—Bakersfield 4, Visalia 0.
At Porterville—Dinuba 0, Porterville 0. (Tie).
At Philadelphia—Pennsylvania 17, Cornell 4.
At Omaha—Creighton 0, Haskell 0.
At Washington—George Washington 5, Bucknell 5.
At Kansas City—Kansas 1, Missouri 4.
At Milwaukee—Notre Dame 6, Marquette 0.
At St. Louis—Carlisle 17, St. Louis University 0.
At Pittsburg—University of Pittsburg 6, Pennsylvania State 12.
At Washington—Washington and Lee 12, Georgetown 11.
At Spokane—Spokane High school 44, Salt Lake High school 0.
At Portland—Multnomah Athletic club 0, University of Oregon 6.
At Des Moines—Ames 12, Drake 6.
At Galesburg, Ill.—Lombard 0, Knox 0.
At Chicago—Depauw University 46, Carroll College 6.
At Columbus, Ohio—Ohio State University 19, Kenyon 0.
At Birmingham, Ala.—University of Alabama 4, University of Tennessee 0.
At Nashville—Vanderbilt 6, Sewanee 6. (Tie).
At Atlanta—Georgia Technical 30, Clawson 6.
At New Orleans—Tulane 11, Washington University of St. Louis 0.
At Indianapolis—Rose Polytechnic 6, Butler 6. (Tie).
At Witchita, Kan.—Fairmount College 17, Southwestern Kansas College 0.
At Lexington, Ky.—State University 40, Central University 0.
At Birmingham, Ala.—Alabama 4, University of Tennessee 0.
At Marietta.—Marietta 23, St. Dennison 0.
At Nashville.—Vanderbilt 6, Sewanee 6.
At Jackson.—A. and M. 44, Mississippi University 6.
At Little Rock.—L. S. U. 36, University of Arkansas 4.
At Colorado Springs.—Denver University 6, Colorado College 4.
At Denver.—University of Colorado 15, Colorado State School of Mines 0.
At Lincoln.—Nebraska 12, Wabash 6.

GOVERNOR JOHNSON WILL VISIT CALIFORNIA

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 26.—Governor John A. Johnson of Minnesota has written Dr. Rudolph Schiffman of Pasadena saying that he has decided to avail himself of his repeated invitations to visit Southern California and while he cannot at present writing state accurately when he will visit this section, it will be immediately following the holidays. The governor will come to take life easy, he says in the letter. Governor Johnson and Dr. Schiffman are long time friends.

Rear Admiral Dies.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 26.—Rear Admiral Alex. Russell, U. S. N., retired, died here today from heart failure, aged 84 years.

"PAID IN FULL" IS GREAT PLAY

Strong Scenes Firmly Grip Emotions.

Written By Californian and Role of Wife Created By Fresno Girl.

"Paid in Full," which played a Thanksgiving matinee and evening performance to appreciative audiences at the Barton yesterday, has been given a full review in these columns on a previous performance and a reiteration of facts is not necessary. But it is difficult to refrain from saying that it is the best play Fresno has seen not only this season but in many seasons, and makes one proud that its author is a Californian, Eugene Walter. Another reason why Fresnans are interested in the play and its success is that Lillian Albertson, a former Fresno girl, created the role of Emma Brooks. While, of course, it was a disappointment not to see her in the role, choice of an actress to play this part could not have fallen more fortunately for the public than upon Miss Sara Perry, who has been here before in another play with E. H. Morgan as the star, in which she was well remembered.

Every one of the seven roles had an individuality and strength that was tremendously interesting and all the players were vastly capable. One had almost forgotten there could be such a good play given, so long have we had to be content with indifferent ones and plays of a sort that had nothing to recommend them save a glitter and sparkle that was more than half rubbed off before crossing the Rockies.

"Paid in Full" is a sermon, but it is not preachy. This sounds like a difference without a distinction. You get the sermon yourself without having it dinned into your ears by tiresome repetition of a text that the author wants to make emphatic.

There are a few fine touches in this Walter play that were especially impressive. For instance, it seems a most subtle device to connect the thread of the play by letting the curtain fall upon a man standing at the telephone ringing up another man. Then to have the next curtain rise upon the man receiving the message at the telephone or rather a bell rings before anyone has said a word and immediately you are right into the thick of the plot without any tiresome readjustment of your mental forces.

How many in the audience were ready to grasp the hand of the Captain—old weatherbeaten old scalawag that he was—for the beautiful tribute he pays Emma Brooks when she comes to his rooms to seek her husband's pardon. The working out of this scene was a tremendously fine bit of art and was exquisitely handled by Miss Perry and Mr. Handyside. The slow tempo in which the whole thing moved was a test of the power of the play and the skill of the actors.

The audience was unusually sympathetic and patiently attentive during long scenes and to add to the brilliancy of the house were a number of Thanksgiving theater parties.

TAKES GUN FROM EMMETT RIGGINS

Slayer of Dean Endeavors to Create Disturbance at Barton and Is Thrown Out.

Emmett Riggins, the contractor who shot and killed a man by the name of Dean and who was later acquitted of the charge of murder, endeavored to create a disturbance at the Barton opera house last night while in a semi-intoxicated condition. An usher threatened to throw him out several times, but this apparently had no effect on Riggins.

In a seemingly careless way he allowed a gun which he was carrying to drop to the floor several times and it was finally taken from him by A. L. Kress. Acting Sergeant Cronkhite was called and put the man out of the house lest he should become ugly and create an unpleasant disturbance. Riggins returned to Fresno several weeks ago and has been drinking a good deal.

RUSSIANS ENGAGE IN FISTIC BATTLE

Russiantown was the scene of a lively melee last night when six or eight Russians, filled with Thanksgiving cheer, proceeded to batter each other on the street at F and Ventura streets. A call was sent in to the police station and Officers McCall, Johnson and Correll responded, placing three of the fighters, Henry Jacobs, Mike Huch and William Legler, under arrest. Huch was pretty well battered up and had been dragged quite a distance by some of the others.

Disobeys Court Order.

Sam Petersen, a vag who was given a suspended sixty-day sentence if he would get out of town within an hour, was picked up by Officer Johnson last night and now faces a term in the county jail. Petersen was trying to hide from Johnson when he was caught.

SHERMAN INDIANS WIN FROM ST. VINCENTS

Saints Fought Hard to Tie Score of Fast Redskins.

LOS ANGELES, Nov. 26. — The Sherman Indians won a desperate football battle from the St. Vincent college team of this city today by a score of 4 to 0. The first half was without result and for a time it seemed that the game was going to end a tie. Time and time again, the Indians forced the ball dangerously near the locals' goal, only to be carried back by the superior weight of the Saints. Three times in the first St. Vincent tried to kick a goal and failed. Bullock, quarterback for the Indians, played like a demon, and saved the day on several occasions for the Red men. In the middle of the second half the Indians kicked a goal and later had the ball on the five yard line, but lost it on a fumble. The field was very slippery, several of the men were injured during the game, but none seriously enough to necessitate their withdrawal.

Immigration Steamer Launched.

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 26.—The new immigration steamer Inspector was launched at the United Engineering Works in Alameda today. The craft was christened by Miss Elmore Knowland daughter of Congressman Joseph R. Knowland. It will be used on the bay in the interests of the local immigration bureau.

Get a Good Seat

For the Philharmonic Quintet concert tonight at the Y. M. C. A. by calling up Main 697.

IN THE LODGE ROOM.

Odd Fellows

Central California lodge, No. 313, I. O. O. F., at last night's business meeting conferred the third degree upon Fred H. Harper. The election of officers will take place next week. A committee consisting of C. H. Perry, Sam Combs and Frank Brody was appointed to advise with Robert Lochead in reference to having a modern stereopticon for the use of the lodge. William H. Fee of Charity lodge, Stockton, and Fred F. Studer of San Diego lodge No. 154 were present and with local members made short talks. On account of the holiday the attendance was not up to the usual mark.

Foresters Dance

Court Yosemite's annual Thanksgiving ball at Armory hall proved a big success. Over 125 couples were on the floor. The hall was patriotic in red, white and blue and the programs were handsome souvenirs.

Company C will assemble this evening for an election to fill the vacant second lieutenantship, Frederick Smith having resigned his commission.

WASHINGTON WINS THE NORTHWEST CHAMPIONSHIP

SEATTLE, Wash., Nov. 26.—The University of Washington football team today won the championship of the Pacific Northwest by a brilliant 22 to 0 victory over Oregon Agricultural college. Washington is coached by Gilmour Dobie of Minnesota; Oregon by F. S. Norcross of Michigan.

Oregon was completely outclassed. It is the first championship won by Washington in five years.

AIRSHIP MAKES A SUCCESSFUL FLIGHT

LOS ANGELES Nov. 26.—Roy Knabenshue made a very successful flight over this city today in his airship. He was in the air forty-five minutes and circled about over the business section at will. There was little wind. Knabenshue was accompanied by his assistant during the flight.

PHILADELPHIA HI WINS CROSS COUNTRY RUN

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 26. — Central High school of this city won the American inter-scholastic cross-country championship at Fairmont park here today with Newark High school second and Central Manual Training School, Philadelphia, third. Gallagher of Brown Prep. school won the individual honors.

The Philharmonic Quintet

Is one of the greatest musical organization in the business. Hear it tonight at the Y. M. C. A. Admission 50 and 75 cents.

It is now time for Fresno to have a Young Women's Christian Association.

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WEATHER

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 26. The pressure is falling slowly along the coast of California, but the weather will remain clear and pleasant. There has been no rain except in Southern California. The temperature is from 2 to 14 degrees below normal and conditions are favorable for light frosts Friday morning in the interior. There will also be frosts in Southern California back from the coast. Forecast:

San Joaquin valley: Fair Friday, with frost in the morning; light north wind.

Temperature (dry bulb)	47
Temperature (wet bulb)	44
Humidity	78
Wind W. (mi. per hr.)	5
Maximum temperature	54
Minimum temperature	35
Today's rainfall	.00
Rainfall to date	.93

Full Friday.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Turkey is good, but for a Steady diet Hollands' "Ideal" bread is unsurpassed.

Dr. Aiken, Patterson Block.

Ask for Dairy Creamery butter.

Dr. Cockrill, dentist, Patterson Block.

Mrs. Buck, dancing instructress, 531 O St.

C. G. Wheeler, florist, 1944 Tulare St.

Lilium Auratum and China Lily bulbs just in. Hobbs Parsons seed dep't.

For sale, rotted grape refuse for fertilizer. California Products Co., Tel. Main 95.

Dr. McMahon has opened offices in the Forsyth building. Residence St. Andrews apts.

The choral class of the Parlor Lecture club will meet at 10 o'clock this morning in Kinsley hall.

The Philharmonic Quintet will appear tonight at the Y. M. C. A. Auditorium. Get your seats early. Phone 697. Admission 50cts. Reserved seats 25cts extra.

The residents of Arizona Colony are cordially invited to attend a "Basket social" to be given by the children of Roeding school this evening. Program 7:30.

We and Our Neighbors Circle will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock in Knox chapel, corner of M and Los Angeles street. All members are requested to bring needles and thimbles.

Wells Fargo & Co. will sell at public auction to the highest bidder on November 28th, 1908, at No. 1301 J street, Fresno, Cal., all unclaimed shipments received at their several offices prior to January 1st, 1908.

C. L. Paddock suffered a bruised foot as the result of a street car collision at the junction of J and Stanislaus streets Wednesday noon. The tracks were slippery and the brakes on the North Park car failed to hold, the car crashing into an outbound car.

BORN

GREEN—In Fresno, November 26, 1908, to the wife of J. K. Green, a son.

DIED

WHITED—In Kerman, November 24, 1908, Faye Whited, a native of California, aged 10 years.

PURPLE COLORS TRIUMPH OVER GOLD RELAY TEAM

Return Race Will Be Held This Afternoon at 3 o'clock—Baracas Lose.

Not content with the close victory scored by the local Y. M. C. A. relay team, carrying the purple colors yesterday morning over the gold team, the losers want a return match with their junior opponents this afternoon. The second race between the rival athletes will therefore be under way at 3 o'clock today.

Yesterday's event was started at 10 o'clock from the association building on North I street, with Ray Wakefield as captain of the Purples and F. Everts of the Golds. The respective captains were the first ones off the tape, at the crack of the starter's pistol, the pair running two blocks along I street to Fresno. From Fresno along the same route to Tulare two other boys raced, in running togs and each with their colors flying from a small pole. From the end of the two blocks of the second pair, two other juniors went along Tulare to M, along M to Stanislaus, Stanislaus to I, and finished in front of the association building. Pottle of the Purples ran the last two blocks against Telfer of the Golds, Pottle winning by about three feet.

The Golds contend that the close finish indicates that they are on an equal footing with the Purples and they want another try. This will be given them this afternoon. Quite a large crowd watched the juniors' event yesterday and a still larger crowd should be in attendance today.

Wilson Hopkins held the watch, the time being 6:50, which is exceedingly fast for eighteen blocks. John Fee started the boys at exactly 10:06. Harry Evans followed the runners on horseback to see that the rules of the course were complied with.

Twenty-four were entered, but as it was thought the rain of the night before would necessitate a postponement of the event, only eighteen juniors appeared in costume, ready for the start. Fee wanted to call off the race, but as the boys were anxious for the run, they were sent off at the appointed hour, nine on each side.

The teams and the relative positions of the men were: Purples—Ray Wakefield, captain; Mills, Gilliam, Bolton, Thornberg, Walrond, Moore, Moody and Pottle. Golds—F. Everts, captain; Epstein, Hammond, Dickey, Brown, Johnson, Goth, Graff and Telfer.

Big Race Off.

The captains of the Reds and Blues decided to call off their relay race over a longer course until Christmas morning.

Fast Indoor Game.

Yesterday morning at 10 o'clock a picked indoor baseball club won a close and exciting game from the Baracas, recording the first defeat of the season for Fechter's aggregation of tossers. The game was a pitchers' battle throughout. Sig Levy pulled off several one-handed catches in left field for the Scrubs.

The line-up follows:

Baracas.		Scrubs.
Fechter	p	Wakefield
Peterson	c	Wallace
Jack	1b	Evans
Vanderberg	2b	L. Long
Sansome	3b	Andrews
McCabe	ss	Bush
Ashton	rf	Harriman
Ellithorpe	cf	Paten
Budge	lf	Levy

No Classes Today.

Owing to the entertainment at the association building tonight and the relay race this afternoon, it was decided to not hold any classes on the gymnasium floor today.

Kansas Defeats Missouri

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 26.—Kansas university eleven again this afternoon defeated Missouri university 10 to 4 in one of the fiercest struggles ever put up by these teams in the eighteen years of their contests.

DON ENRIQUE WINS THE BIG HANDICAP

Two Horses from Ellison Stable in Money.

Dorante, Favorite, Second and Royal Tourist Third—60 to 1 Shot Wins.

OAKLAND, Cal., Nov. 26.—In the presence of over 10,000 people, Don Enrique, carrying the colors of Charles Ellison, won the Thanksgiving handicap at Emeryville today.

Dorante, the favorite, was second, while Royal Tourist, stable companion of the winner, was third. Weather conditions were ideal, but the track was heavy. Some fine fields went to the post and the spurt was of a high order. Twenty-six books were in line and betting was very heavy. The handicap, fourth on the card, was at a mile and a furlong and six horses faced Starter Dwyer.

Dorante ruled favorite throughout the betting with Montgomery and Tony Faust, the Hildreth entry, next in demand. Don Enrique and Royal Tourist came in for some support. Tony Faust went to the front early and did not relinquish the lead until a quarter mile from home.

There Don Enrique, who had moved up rapidly, assumed command. He drew away and won handily from Dorante, which beat Royal Tourist a head. The latter would have been second but for being in heavy going.

Montgomery was out-run. The winner's share of the purse was $1960. Roseben making his first California appearance won the third race handily. Magrane, favorite for the second, broke down, and Mike Ashelm, 60 to 1, was in the lead to home plate.

Results.

First race—Five and half furlongs, purse: Owen, 112 (Schmidt), 7 to 1, won; Matchtulla, 109 (Miller), 11 to 2, second; Palo Alto, 112 (Walsh), 18 to 5, third. Time, 1:18 1-5. Rosamu, Joes Rose, Osea, High Ormonde, Marchesa, Incentive, Smiling Jack, Who and Obey also ran.

Second race—Six furlongs, selling: Mike Ashelm, 110 (Walsh), 60 to 1, won; Elevation, 114 (Lynch), 6 to 1, second; Prestige, 117 (Buxton), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 2-5. Warden Yell, Nappa and Yoloday also ran.

Third race—Futurity course, purse: Roseben, 112 (Holmes), 4 to 5, won; Collector Jessup, 110 (Keogh), 19 to 5, second; J. C. Gore, 107 (J. C. Butler), 4 to 1, third. Time, 1:10 3-5. Rosevale, Import and Boggs also ran.

Fourth race—Mile and a furlong, Thanksgiving handicap, $2000 added: Don Enrique, 103 (J. Butler), 16 to 5, won; Dorante, 115 (W. Miller), 7 to 5, second; Royal Tourist, 114 (A. Walsh), 15 to 5, third. Time, 1:54 1-5. Montgomery, Tony Faust and Astronomer also ran.

Don Enrique and Royal Tourist, Ellison entry, were coupled in betting.

Fifth race—Mile and a quarter, selling—Fulletta, 105 (Taplin), 20 to 1, won; Lady Alicia, 107 (Russell), 5 to 1, second; Nadzu, 102 (Sullivan), 7 to 5, third. Time, 2:10. County Clerk, Talamund and Cloverland also ran.

Sixth race—Six furlongs, selling: Wap, 110 (Keogh), 4 to 1, won; Von Tromp, 117 (Miller), 8 to 5, second; Lord Provost, 109 (Coburn), 7 to 1, third. Time, 1:16 1-5. Calla, Sainvoke and Woolen also ran.

CORNELL SUFFERS FIRST DEFEAT OF THE SEASON

Pennsylvania Claims Equal Honors With Harvard for 1908.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 26. — The University of Pennsylvania defeated Cornell in the annual Thanksgiving football game on Franklin field this afternoon, 17 to 4.

Pennsylvania thus closed the season without once drinking from the bitter cup of defeat, and tonight her followers are claiming at least equal rank with Harvard in the wide discussion as to which is the best college football team in the East. It was Cornell's only defeat of the year and she fought hard to win.

Pensylvania did not overwhelm her opponent as she expected. However except for the kicking department in the first half, Pennsylvania at all times was Cornell's superior. The game abounded in open plays, long runs and much punting.

The playing of Miller, who replaced Keinath at quarterback for Pennsylvania early in the game, was the sensational feature of the contest. Once he got away for a 75 yard run which was spoiled by one of his trammates holding a tackler and another time he scored a touchdown after a 48 yard run following a fake attempt at making a forward pass.

KID KRANT KNOCKS OUT LARRY GORDON

TONOPAH, Nov. 26.—In a whirlwind fight here this afternoon Kid Krant of Seattle knocked out Larry Gordon of Butte, Mont., in the thirteenth of a scheduled 25 round battle before a large crowd.

STOCKING WATERS WITH FOOD FISH

A Critical Fresnan Answered By the State Deputy.

Fresno Had One Native Specie of Trout in Three Streams of the County.

Former Game Warden Ferguson has received from State Deputy Fish and Game Commissioner Vogelsang correspondence that will interest those who are encouraging the stocking of Fresno streams with food fish not native to the streams and to furnish the angler incidentally with sport. The correspondence is interesting because answering criticism of the work of the commission, disposing of popular misconceptions and lastly outlining the policy of the commission in the work of fish stocking.

The critic signed himself N. S. Tullis of Fresno, Cal., and Ferguson is on a still hunt for him. The complaint was that "it has been and is still a wonder in the minds of all those familiar with the facts" that the commission spends "so much time and money in an endeavor to stock the slope with fish and game and all to so little purpose."

There's the criticism of the importation of the New England "Bullhead" when the magnificent fish, the "channel cat," could more easily have been obtained, a fish that is not only superior in every way but will grow to be 200 and 300 pounds, obtainable in Green and Barren rivers in southern Kentucky.

Fault is found that at great cost was "placed that abomination, the German carp, in the waters of the coast which have destroyed some of the best of native fishes and are not themselves eaten by any one but the Chinese." Then the green, yellow and speckled basses, all excellent fishes, have never been imported. The former is described as a very superior game fish and found in the waters of the western part of Virginia and eastern Kentucky. The yellow bass, often erroneously called a trout, can be had in Mud river in southern Kentucky.

The critic continues that the speckled variety, generally called a "Campbellite," is a native of Barren and Green rivers and their tributaries. Then too the "goggle-eye," first cousin of the black bass, is equaled by few as a table fish, declaring that it is found more abundantly in the Big Miami in southern Ohio.

Lastly and perhaps superior to all others, according to the Fresno man, is the red-throated sun-perch, than which no finer fish swims in fresh water, the best specimens obtainable in the Barren river and its tributaries.

"Next in order," says he, "every one who has ever lived in the middle states has marveled that time and money is expended on the importation of European varieties of pheasants when we have much better at home. The brown pheasant of southern Ohio, Kentucky, West Virginia and other bordering states is not only larger but fully equal in quality as a table fowl and has the additional marked value of being a native and does not require acclimatizing.

"Add to these that peer of all game birds, the Bob White quail, all within easy reach and vastly superior to any other. In a class by itself is the ashen gray wild turkey found abundantly in the central and south-central counties of Kentucky. A black variety, the writer says, is reported to exist along the wooded valleys and hills of the Gila in New Mexico.

"Why not also import the Potomac river eel?" asks the critic, and then he says that the best variety perhaps obtainable as to the natural food fishes mentioned, first comes the blue minnow, to be had wherever the speckled bass is found. Barren river is the most accessible source.

Second as a food supply is mentioned the gray fish to be had in the Big Miami and other neighboring streams. As a food fish the channel cat stands easily first, a clean breeder, hardy and will thrive where less hardy would fail. The Potomac river eel is an exceedingly valuable food fish and will thrive under any conditions.

"Attempts have been made to introduce the lobster, but," says the writer, "the planting grounds chosen seem not to have been suitable. San Pablo, Suisun and Humboldt bays ought to be suitable. The eastern oyster can be made to multiply if the same plan is adopted as that used in fertilizing the fish spawn."

To all of these matters the writer invited "the serious consideration" of the commission.

And to all of these Commissioner Vogelsang replied "more in sorrow than anger" that it "is still a wonder to us (meaning the commission) that so many people with facile pen and excellent command of language assume that that qualifies them to speak with authority on subjects of this kind," not doubting the writer's sincerity but declaring that he is lacking in the information.

Mr. Vogelsang prefaced his answer by saying that the Federal Bureau of Fisheries at Washington, which has control of the fishing interests of the United States, "does not hesitate to say that our fish cultural work is the best example in the United States," and that "our salmon work leads the world." Such praise as that coming from people who are familiar with the subject all over the union and are able to make comparisons should not be disregarded, adding, "Permit me to say that while in Washington last spring these remarks were made in my presence, that we have letters on our files carrying the same information, that while there I arranged to have shipped to this state such varieties of fresh water fish as are best adapted to our conditions."

Answer is made to the critic for devoting so much space to telling about the waters of southern Kentucky, to say that the commissioner traveled through that country and has many relatives there and he looked for new varieties of fish. While he knew that there are different kinds of bass in the southern states, they are not found in great numbers anywhere.

"Another thing to remind you of is this," says the reply. "California is one of forty-five states that makes demand upon the Federal Bureau of Fisheries. For the first time the writer secured a carload of fish composed of yellow perch, blue-gilled sunfish and the crappie for this state. They have been distributed in the larger bodies of suitable waters and were planted without loss. Good results may be expected from them in a few years. Such eminent authorities on this work as Dr. David Starr Jordan and Dr. Barton W. Evermann of the division of scientific inquiry gave us their judgment as to what varieties of fish are most likely to succeed in this state. Based on their own experience and close observation, this commission felt it was safe in accepting their advice. So much for bringing in these fishes.

"Next, you must remember that salmon, shad, halibut, sea-bass, barracuda, mackerel, rock-cod, flounders, bonita, striped bass, and many other fish taken from the waters inside of this state or its 800 miles of coast line are unknown as yet in Kentucky, and with practically an inexhaustible supply of such desirable salt water fishes (and others not mentioned) we do not feel the need of going to the enormous expense that would be involved in carrying out your suggestion. In fact, you have not the slightest idea of the results that have been achieved by this commission on less appropriation than perhaps any other state.

"When you speak of the New England bullhead, you are again in error. The catfish in this state were sent out by the Federal Bureau of Fisheries taken from waters in Illinois and Pennsylvania. Not a single specimen came from New England."

Mr. Vogelsang writes further to say that he saw more crappie, blue-gilled sunfish and yellow perch in the markets of Chicago, St. Louis, Louisville, Nashville, Baltimore and Washington in February last year than any other fresh water fishes. "The wonder is," says he, "that if Green and Barren rivers are so wonderfully prolific and the fish are in such quantities that they do not appear in the markets. The fish that we have selected bear more or less relation to the ones mentioned by you. All were carefully considered and the decision was made in favor of those that have since been received. You may not be aware that the same fish have at least a dozen different names throughout the United States, depending upon the locality."

The eel proposition is disposed of with the statement that it has been carefully gone into. The bureau at Washington and men of large experience interested in the welfare of the state have pronounced against it.

As regards lobsters, the critic is reminded that if he were to take a trip along the New England coast, study the habits of these desirable shellfish and compare the waters, temperatures, etc., with the waters of the Pacific coast he would see why the Pacific ocean has produced the crawfish or California lobster. Moreover, the critic is absolutely in error in suggesting that the bays named by him are suitable for the lobster.

"With regard to the eastern oyster," says the reply, "thousands of dollars have been spent and are being spent every year in this state by private individuals endeavoring to propagate the eastern oyster here. Some success has followed in Puget Sound and in the past year another shipment of eastern lobsters was sent there, believing that they might gain a foothold.

"If this commission had not done anything else than to introduce striped bass into the waters of this state, its excuse for existence would have been justified a hundred times, but the same thing can be said of the shad and of the black bass—all brought here at the request of this commission and now being shipped to states north of us and as far east as Kansas, while our salmon is being shipped to Germany and other European countries. All these things have been accomplished at an expense to the state of less than $15,000 per annum. These are some facts for you to ponder over."

As to the carp the critic is further reminded that he is "again absolutely in error," for no money was ever spent on the carp. The supply in this state came from an altogether different source and while the commission agrees that they are not a desirable food fish, because there are so many better in California, yet more than 4,000,000 pounds are marketed in New York and a greater quantity in Chicago. "However," adds the commission, "they are a positive benefit in this state as without them the black bass, striped bass and other superior fishes would not have increased so rapidly. They feed on their young almost entirely and there is not the slightest evidence to show that they have destroyed a native fish in this state," emphasizing this statement with the further one that "if you know of any to your positive knowledge it would be a matter of scientific importance and should be recorded."

To the above general facts, former Game Warden Ferguson added some of more particular local application, saying that for its field of operations the California commission has done more practical work than almost any other state commission for the amount of money at its command. But for the California commission, Fresno county, which is considered by sportsmen one of the finest fresh water fishing territories in the far west, a fact not so generally known because the fishery stretches are so inaccessible, would have only three fishing streams, the south and middle forks of the Kings and Fish creek, near the Madera county line, and these only with the speckled trout which is a native of the mountain streams. Through the efforts of the commission the Loch Levin trout of Scotland, the German brown trout and the eastern species in varieties have been introduced and fishless streams stocked, while countless millions have been propagated and distributed to replenish fished-out streams or to stock those that never had fish.

According to former Game Warden Ferguson, Fresno county is a shining example of what can be done in the line of propagating fish and stocking waters until 100 streams and lakes formed by them are populated by many denizens that once were unknown here. The water sheds of the San Joaquin and the Kings, whose sources are in the mountains of Fresno county present a grand stretch of fishing waters.

Talking about suggestions, Mr. Ferguson said there have been suggestions time and again that local streams should be stocked with the pickerel, which has been termed the fresh water shark, than which there is no more gamey fish.

"Let loose your pickerels in the streams of Fresno," said Ferguson, "and once they ascend the upper reaches they would so prey on the trout that there would soon be none left after the work and expense of years in stocking with trout."

DESPERATI OF MADERA CAN'T GIVE $10,000 BONDS

After Sentence to San Quentin for Five Years for Stealing Miller & Lux Stock.

Former Chief of Police John F. White returned yesterday from Madera and reported that E. Desperati is still confined in the county jail of Madera unable to obtain sureties on his bond of $10,000 after sentence for grand larceny. Desperati is an Italian rancher, well known also in this county. He was sentenced last Monday by Judge Covert of Kings county to imprisonment at San Quentin for five years. Desperati was the leading spirit of the gang in Madera county which raided the nearby cattle ranches of Miller & Lux in the county and at Dos Palos colony in Merced county, driving off before the last spring roundup a large number of colts and mules. Desperati was the man as shown who received the stolen property and was the medium through which sales were made, after the appearance of the stolen stock had been changed by underfeeding and hard traveling from place to place and particularly in the disfigurement and changing of the brands on the flanks. Growing out of the wholesale thievery, a lot of civil cases was recently disposed of before Judge Austin for the recovery of stolen animals with changed brands traced to purchases in this county from Desperati. The prisoner was recently convicted on a memorable second trial had in Madera before Judge Covert setting for Judge Conley.

We have done well for our boys—now for our girls!

SMALL AUDIENCE TO HEAR MURPHY

Speaker Alludes to Recent Trip About City.

Many Pledges Secured as Result of Tour, Declared Temperance Advocate.

There was only a partly filled house at the St. Paul's M. E. church, South, last night to hear Tom Murphy, the temperance speaker. Thanksgiving attractions detracted from the interest in these meetings and as a consequence the attendance was much smaller than usual. In the course of his remarks, Murphy alluded to his recent trip to the saloons of the city and stated that he had received much encouragement to go on with the work as the result of this tour.

He told of the generally kind reception which he received at the hands of the saloon men and declared that many had been secured to sign the pledge because of this visit.

Murphy's talk last night was on the necessity for abstinence from an economic point of view and gave many stories from real life to illustrate his point.

After his speech he again went about seeking pledge signers and many went forward and took the pledge.

Owing to throat trouble, Francis Murphy, Jr., was unable to sing last night and it is not expected that he will be heard in Fresno again. He is now under the care of a local physician.

Tom Murphy is making arrangements for a big mass meeting to be held next Sunday afternoon in the court house park, where all may be given an opportunity to hear and speak with him. Murphy is also planning for a trip about the city by automobile to talk with men who will not come to church to hear him.

SELMA AND SANGER SCHOOLS PLAY TIE

Temperance Town Eleven Has Better of Hard-Fought Battle.

(Special to The Republican).

SELMA, Nov. 26.—The Selma and Sanger high school football teams played a tie game on the high school grounds here this afternoon. Each team scored a touchdown, the visitors making one at the last of the first half while Selma made one in the first five minutes of play in the second half. Both teams failed in kicking a goal, leaving the final score 5 to 5.

Although Selma had to divide the honors of the score, they undoubtedly had the best of the game in the second half and the fast playing in the second half reminded the spectators of the excellent work of the unconquered Selma Invincibles of a few years ago. Sanger had the better of the first half.

The game throughout was a clean one, and full of a most friendly spirit between the players and marked by only two or three off-side plays and fouls.

Sanger made its best gains by diving over Selma's guard and tackle, the gains netting barely enough to make their yardage in the first half, while the few times they held the ball in the second half generally lost them the ball on downs.

Vincent, as Selma's half, proved the hardest player for his team and made the best gains through the line, while the end running of Swift and Shephard netted Selma many long gains. Shepherd also proved himself very clever in taking forward passes from Swift, the two seldom failing, the former always getting through to a position of vantage, while the latter proved true in getting the ball past the team safely into Shephard's sure catch.

The line-up was as follows:

Selma—		Sanger—
C. Swift (Capt.)	L. E.	Hall
Shafer	L. T.	Gilliden
Woodhouse	L. G.	Vaughn
Hamilton	C.	Tompkins
Swanson	R. G.	Henricksen
Christensen	R. T.	Decker
Shephard	R. E.	McLaughlin
Brown	Q.	Carlisle
Swope	R. H.	Minville (Capt)
Vincent	L. H.	Rodgers
L. Swift	F. B.	Carlisle F.

Substitutes—Selma: Roach, Glass, Dodson, Street, Vermilja, Rowland. Sanger: Cotton, Walton, Brandon, Morrow, Cody.

Referee and umpire, Carl Drew (Selma), Leslie Drew (Sanger). Timekeepers, Swanson, Walton. Linesmen, Gordon, Yost, Morrow.

Ladies' night at Oddfellows' hall, Monday November 30th, 1908. Program, social banquet. Members of Fresno Lodge No. 186 and their families and sojourning brothers invited.*

BOXING

Billy Papke Goes Down Before Ketchel's Punch

FOOTBALL

Purple and Gold of Fresno Hi Lowered To Berkeley

RACING

STANLEY KETCHEL EASILY REGAINS MIDDLEWEIGHT HONORS FROM PAPKE

Illinois Thunderbolt Knocked Out in Eleventh Round, Beaten at His Own Game by Clever Michigan Whirlwind

ARENA, SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 26.—Stanley Ketchell of Grand Rapids, Mich., regained the middleweight championship of the world today and reversed his defeat of last September, when he sent Bill Papke, the Illinois Thunderbolt, crashing to the floor before a well-directed left swing that caught his opponent flush upon the chin. The end came in the eleventh round.

Prior to this, Ketchel had demonstrated clearly that he was master of his opponent at any kind of fighting. Round by round Ketchel chose his opportunities and when opportunities offered planted the right to head or body, generally escaping without a damaging return. Believing his appearance and forcing the fight throughout every minute, Ketchel was stronger up in the moment of the knockout blow.

Fell Through Ropes.

Once during an aggressive moment, they fell in the ringside and toppled through the ropes, wrapped in a close embrace. It was a left to the stomach that sent Papke to the ropes at this juncture. In falling Papke seized his opponent and the force of his rush carried them clear of the platform and over the heads of the spectators. A hundred willing hands assisted them to the center and in a moment they were grappling in a clinch.

Ketchel was a victor throughout. His appearance during the early rounds did not tend to encourage those who had backed him at odds of 10 to 7 and 10 to 6, but this awkward delivery of blows deceptively fast seemed to lull Papke into a false sense of security. In the first round Ketchel drove Papke into a neutral corner landing right and left almost at will and thereafter the Illinois contender was always at a disadvantage. Stepping inside at critical junctures, Ketchel swung his right time and again flush upon his opponent's jaw, now and then alternating with left drives to the body. In the fifth round Ketchel drove a hard right to stomach and Papke had not put up his hands before he encountered a hard right to the jaw. Before this in the fourth round a light tap on the nose had brought blood from Papke, that started the crowd yelling for the Michigander.

It was in the seventh that Ketchel used his right to the greatest advantage. Papke's only hope lay in his disposition to clinch, but he was hit twice and both blows tended to lessen his retributive power.

From this time on the crowd waited the knockout punch that Ketchel was apparently withholding. In the ninth Papke was sent tottering across the ring and nearly went to his knees by a powerful blow delivered in a clinch. He arose to meet Ketchel's right which twice landed on the jaw.

Papke went to his corner bleeding freely from the nose. This was the beginning of the end. In the following round, Papke twice turned his back on Ketchel's swift assaults and deliberately ran away.

The Knockout Punch.

In the eleventh and final round, Ketchel came up as fresh and strong as at any time during the fight. He lapped Papke lightly on the jaw and then rushed him half across the ring, planting two hard rights to the stomach. A moment later as they broke out of a clinch, Ketchel swung the left at three quarters length, landing squarely on the point of the chin. Papke struck at full length, his head rapping the floor with terrific force. He had just sufficient time to regain his feet and while he crouched in an attitude half protected Ketchel sent his right to the head four times in quick succession and almost pushed Papke over with a left hook. Papke dropped and fell forward on his knees, his hands supporting and his head bowed as if in agony. Referee Welch counted seven, as also did the time keeper and then advancing toward Ketchel threw the Michigan fighter's glove aloft. Papke, still dazed, seemed unable to realize his defeat.

Fighters' Statements.

Papke said after the fight: "I am not satisfied with the outcome. I want a return match. I did not hear the count. I heard the referee say 'six,' and then he stopped. I would have been able to continue the fight as I was not hurt, and was recovering fast. I want a return match."

Ketchel said: "I anticinated this result before I entered the ring and backed my opinion with my own money. Papke's victory in the South was an accident. Under proper conditions I am willing to fight him again."

The betting was seriously affected prior to the fight by rumors of Ketchel's failure to get into proper condition. During the day reports of this character were current everywhere and at one juncture the betting dropped from 16 to 7½ to 10 to 6, owing because of this.

Dropped Dead at Ringside.

RINGSIDE, SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 26.—Martin Carter of Irvington, Cal., dropped dead at the ringside from excitement when Ketchel knocked Papke out. Carter is the proprietor of the famous Nutwood stock farm, near Irvington, which has turned out many of the world's famous trotters. He has a son with the coal drug store in Oakland.

Carter is comparatively well known in Fresno. He was in attendance at the harness meet held in connection with the annual county fair at the county fair grounds last September. Three of the horses bred on his Nutwood farm were entered in the events. Almost every horseman in the state is acquainted with the veteran breeder, or knew of his famous blooded stock.

Before the Battle.

RINGSIDE SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 26.—"I will not be caught napping this time. I will fight to the death and when the battle is over Billy Papke will have little cause for Thanksgiving. I have never trained harder for a fight and was never in better shape for any kind of scrap the Illinois Thunderbolt may elect to furnish. I have wagered $2000 on myself at the prevailing odds and I advise my friends to follow suit. I expect to win within ten rounds"—Statement by Ketchel

"It makes no difference to me whether Ketchel will be caught napping or not. I will beat him this time more decisively than when we met at Los Angeles. I know his style like a book and have nothing to fear. I will win in short order."—Statement of William Papke, the middleweight champion.

The above statements were made by the two principals in today's championship battle just after stepping from the scales at 11:30 o'clock this morning and after each had lived up to the weight requirements by failing to raise the beams above the 158 pound mark. An immense crowd assembled at the "Willis" to witness the pugilists weigh in and there was nothing but favorable comment heard when the men stripped and displayed their splendid physiques to the fortunate spectators. Determination and confidence emanated from every view point as the fighters slowly donned their street apparel and prepared for their journey to the scene of the hostilities. A light luncheon served to put them on edge, after which they were hurried into waiting automobiles and whizzed through the Golden Gate park to their dressing rooms in the fight arena.

Ideal Weather.

A more beautiful day could not have been hoped for. The day was as clear as a crystal and the soft rays of the sun gave forth a tinge of warmth that quickly dispelled the early morning frosts. Despite the propitious weather conditions Promoter Coffroth, in view of yesterday's downpour, stretched an ocean of white canvas over the entire arena and under this canopy, the men will wage war on each other, should the weather change for the worse.

Betting during the day was exceedingly brisk at odds of 10 to 7½, with Papke on the fond end. There was plenty of Ketchel money in sight, and from present indications the ringside odds will be about 10 to 8. The advance sale of seats presages a record-breaking attendance despite the numerous counter attractions, and it is estimated that the receipts will exceed $30,000. Although technically the fighters will receive a percentage of the gate receipts, it is generally understood that in order to secure the middleweight battle, Coffroth guaranteed Papke $12,000 win, lose or draw, as his share of the receipts, while Ketchel will receive $8000 as his share under similar conditions. The main event will begin promptly at 2:30 o'clock, Pacific Coast time, to be preceded by an eight-round bout between Joe Larkin and Antone La Grave. The latter fight will be staged at 1:30 o'clock.

Rush For Tickets.

Although the gallery doors were not opened until 11:30 a. m., prospective purchasers of these tickets gathered almost with the rising of the sun and when the gates were thrown open the lines extended for many blocks. Mounted police were here, there and everywhere and it was only through their diligence and activity that the crowds were permitted to enter in orderly manner. The highways leading to the San Mateo county line fairly sizzled with all manner of vehicular traffic and almost every street car arena-bound found its occupants perched on top.

Jack Welsh, who will referee the fight, visited the respective dressing rooms of the men and rehearsed with them the rules under which they will contest. Straight Marquis of Queensberry rules will govern, which means that the men will be permitted to fight with one arm free and break at the referee's order.

The Seconds.

Papke will be seconded by Hill Aldridge, Tom Jones, Al Kaufman and Ollie Cornett. Ketchel's handlers are Joe O'Connor, Tom O'Connor, Mike McClure, Willie Keefe and Charlie Mayer.

There is some even money betting that Papke will win inside of eighteen rounds.

Preliminary a Knock-Out.

Antone La Grave won the preliminary by knocking out Joe Larkin in the second round. The preliminary determined at 2:17 p. m.

Ketchel Won Toss.

Ketchel was immediately presented to the crowd as the "Michigan Wonder" and Papke was introduced a moment later as the "Illinois Cracker-jack" middleweight champion of the world. The men then tossed for corners. Ketchel won the toss, choosing the southwest corner with the sun in his rear. Hugo Kelly jumped into the ring and challenged the winner and then shook hands with each of the principals. Jack Twin Sullivan and Samuel Langford also challenged the winner.

Fight by Rounds.

Round 1.—They went right together, Papke landed with straight left to face. Close fighting followed, Papke backing against the ropes, landed short arm right and left to face. Ketchel sniffed a terrific right to the jaw and sent a left to the same place a moment later. At close quarters Papke uppercut with right to face and followed with left to same place. Ketchel then sent a hard right to the jaw and they clinched for about a half minute, wrestling each other about the ring. Ketchel then tried to uppercut his man, but Papke more than evened it with two similar blows. Suddenly Ketchel caught his man with a terrific right on the body and followed with a rain of lefts and rights to face driving Papke to the ropes and forcing him to cover and stall the round out. Ketchel had the advantage.

Round 2.—Ketchel shot a right to head and they clinched. Papke sent two straight lefts to face as they broke. Ketchel sent a wicked right to stomach and two lefts to face, driving Papke to a neutral corner. Then they clinched. Papke then shot a terrific right to jaw and Ketchel broke ground. Papke crossed with right to the jaw and a moment later uppercut with right to head. They fought at close quarters and Papke lands right to jaw and then swung his left to head. The round ended with Papke looking more confident. The round was a shade Papke's.

Round 3.—Papke rushed his man to the ropes. Ketchel seemed to be puffing but neither landed a blow. Papke backed to the ropes and easily smothered Ketchel's punches. The men wrestled around without damage seeking to land body punches at close quarters. Breaking, Papke swung a stiff left to the jaw and Ketchel retaliated with two straight lefts to the face. Ketchel swung wildly several times and Papke swung his left hard to the jaw. Ketchel got a left on the ribs, then suddenly shot a hard right to the jaw, Papke at the same time landed a similar blow and the round ended with honors even, with Papke the more confident.

Round 4.—Both were up quickly. Ketchel missed a fearful right for the jaw and a similar attempt with left went wild. The men then wrestled around the ring. After a break, Ketchel swung a terrific right to the jaw and followed with a hard left to same place, forcing Papke to clinch. Ketchel missed two wicked right and left swings for the jaw and a third attempt was smothered. Fighting close, Ketchel swung close range left swings to face, Papke backing into a neutral corner. Several fruitless exchanges followed and the round ended in Ketchel's favor. Ketchel seemed to be gaining strength and confidence as the battle waged.

Round 5.—Ketchel landed two light lefts to the jaw and missed a wicked left for the head. He missed two similar blows and they wrestled. Ketchel crossed a ponderous right to the jaw and both men fell clear through the ropes, over the heads of the newspaper men, onto the floor of the arena. They were held into the arena and Ketchel missed two fearful right swings, Papke smothering them. Ketchel crossed again with his right to the jaw and Papke looked a bit serious. Ketchel was much quicker and landed a hard left hook to the pit of the stomach. He then shot a hard right to the jaw as the bell rang. The round ended with the advantage all with Ketchel. He looked very confident as he took his seat.

Round 6.—They closed in, Papke fighting cautiously and looking none the worse for his fight. Both missed left shifts and Ketchel sent straight left to face, Papke countering in kind. Ketchel landed two vicious lefts to nose and then blood started to flow from that organ. An exchange at close range blows to the body followed and when the men broke away both were bleeding from the nose. Ketchel shot a terrific left to the body and kept after his man unceasingly. Ketchel then hooked a wicked right to the jaw, forcing the Illinois thunderbolt to clinch. Ketchel got a good lead as the round ended, Papke going to his seat uneasily. The crowd yelled vigorously for Ketchel.

Round 7.—They ran to close quarters and wrestled around the ring, only to be separated by the referee. Ketchel shifted his left to the body and then got a left uppercut to the chin. Ketchel then sent a short hook to the chin with terrific force and a moment later shot a straight right to the jaw. Papke closed in and seemed to be stalling. Papke missed two left leads, and at close range Ketchel hooked two lefts to the body. Ketchel swung right and left to jaw and then two lefts found lodgment on the Illinois thunderbolt's face and jaw. Papke bled quite freely as the round ended and the crowd yelled for Ketchel. It was Ketchel's round.

Round 8.—Both were up quickly and Papke landed a hard left to the jaw. Ketchel countered with right to the ribs and Ketchel forced Papke to the ropes, landing a left high on the body. They quickly fought to the center of the ring, Papke landing a hard right swing to the jaw. Ketchel, nothing daunted, hooked a hard right to the jaw and followed with two lefts to the same place. Papke sought shelter in a clinch. Ketchel missed a hard left swing and Papke drove a left hard to jaw. Ketchel retaliated with right and left uppercut to the jaw and missed another for the same place. Ketchel got in a hard right as the bell rang, Ketchel having the honors.

Round 9.—The fighters clinched and were pried apart by referee Welsh. Ketchel then shot a left to the stomach and at close range swung two lefts to the head. Papke fought desperately but Ketchel forced him against the ropes and landed right and left to the body. Papke continued to break ground, clinching and stalling. Ketchel sent his man clear across the ring with a hard right to the jaw and Papke came back groggy. It was nearly a knockdown. Papke stalled, getting in close and Ketchel was not able to get in a telling blow. Ketchel at close range swung left and right to the body and the bell rang. Ketchel looked a winner at this stage.

Round 10.—"Take your time" shouted the crowd to Ketchel as the men closed in. Ketchel landed two uppercuts to the head while in close. Ketchel missed a hard left for the head and they exchanged rights and lefts to jaw. Ketchel forced his antagonist against the ropes but missed a terrific right to the jaw and put his left to the body. Then they clinched with Ketchel doing all the leading and all the fighting. They closed in, Ketchel forcing the fighting. Papke landed a hard right to the body and two lefts to the same place and the round ended with honors even. Papke seemed to be gaining more strength despite the beating he had received.

Round 11.—There were several fruitless rallies and then Ketchel hooked a hard left to stomach, following it with right and left to the same place. Ketchel floored Papke with a fearful left to the jaw and Papke took the count of nine. When Papke rose Ketchel again floored his man with a storm of rights and lefts to the jaw and body. Papke tried to get up, but was down one second too long and was counted out. Ketchel was then given the decision by Referee Jack Welsh.

SAN DIEGO CREW WINS ROWING REGATTA

NAPLES, Cal., Nov. 26.—The four-oared crew of the San Diego Rowing Club won the state championship regatta at Naples today by defeating the crews of the Los Angeles Athletic Club and the Dolphin Club of San Francisco.

The race was rowed in three heats, the San Diego crew defeating the Los Angeles club in the first heat by six lengths finishing the course of approximately a mile and a half, in 8:17. The Dolphins, who had drawn the race against the team because of the failure of the Stanford team to come south, rowed the course in 9:22 to beat 9:30, the time limit. In the final event the San Diego crew ran away from the Dolphins, winning by an eighth of a mile in 8:11.

The San Diego crew showed their superiority throughout, taking the lead in each heat from the start and were never in danger.

Wieland of the Dolphins won the coast single gig championship, Vaughn of San Diego, holder of the title, and Retzer of Los Angeles, being swamped by the heavy chop within a minute of the start.

BERKELEY HUSKIES SCORE OVER FRESNO HI ELEVEN

Before Record Breaking Crowd, Valiant Purple and Gold Warriors Succumb to Heavy Bay Team—Score, 22 to 6

Out-punted, out-gamed, out-generaled, in fact, out-played at every stage of the game, the purple and gold of Fresno High school was lowered on Recreation Park field yesterday afternoon to eleven football giants from Berkeley Hi. The doughty warriors of the local school failed to come up to the expectations of Coach J. W. Warner and Captain Floyd Laning. Their playing was loose throughout, while that of the visiting eleven was well nigh perfect. Coach McAndrews had his men trained to the minute and they plainly showed the effects of that training.

The decisive victory of Berkeley can be explained to some extent, however, by the fact that McAndrews' huskies out-weighed the purple and gold boys by eight pounds to the man. This advantage gave the heavier team a handicap far too much for their lighter opponents to overcome.

The field was wet from the recent rains and this condition made the game slow from start to finish. Fresno's ends were slow in getting down the field on punts, Berkeley invariably running the kicks in from distances ranging from 5 to 20 yards. Another weakness in the local lineup was in the tackles, noticeably right tackle. It was through this hole an opening which the Berkeley backs found often and through which they made the majority of their gains. The forward pass, one of the best features of the new style of American football, was used more frequently by Berkeley and it proved a consistent ground-gainer. What few trick plays that were tried were executed by Fresno, but each time the attempt came to naught.

Several costly fumbles were chalked up against Fresno toward the end of the second half, while the visitors passed the pigskin with wonderful accuracy, and with lightning speed. In the punting department, honors were even in the first half between Incell and Stone. The last named booted the ball higher and his spirals were a puzzle to the Berkeley backs. Toward the end of the game he was forced to retire, Coldwell replacing him.

Not once during the struggle did Fresno hold Berkeley for downs, while on the other hand, Warner's squad were forced to give up the ball once for not making the required distance of ten yards in three downs.

Fresno was virtually bowled off her feet at the start of the game. Within two minutes after the whistle blew, Berkeley had crossed her opponent's goal line with the first touch down. The goal was missed. Four minutes later, or after six minutes of actual play had been reeled off, Fresno's line was again crossed for the second touch down. Goal was kicked, leaving the purple and gold on the short end of a 11 to 0 score.

About the middle of the first half, Captain Laning tried for a place kick from Fresno's 30 yard line. The goal was a failure, however, the ball sailing about two feet under the bar in a direct line between the posts. After twenty-two minutes of play, Quarterback Hartley fumbled an onside kick from Stone on Fresno's 26 yard line. Wilcox recovered the ball quickly and dashed across the line for a touch down, giving the large crowd of purple and gold supporters their first opportunity to cheer, which they did with a vengeance. Pennants were waved for the only time during the game.

In the second half, Berkeley rushed the Warner squad off their feet and scored two touch downs, kicking one goal and failing in the other try. A few changes were made in the Fresno lineup at the beginning of the second half, while Berkeley made but one change during the afternoon, H. Sinclair replacing his brother, B. Sinclair, at left tackle. The husky was forced to retire, owing to an injured kneecap sustained during the thick of a line play.

The Game in Detail.

Captain and Right-Half Incell, the star of the game, kicked off to Laning at 2:14, after Fresno had won the toss and chosen the east goal. The Fresno captain fumbled the ball, Berkeley recovering. Four well directed hooks over the tackle and a sensational end run, which completely surprised Fresno, was sufficient to plant the bean back of Berkeley's line for the first score, after two minutes of play. Incell failed at goal by a few inches.

Fresno kicked off to Hartley, who ran the ball back 20 yards. Almost before the crowd with their silent banners, seated in the grand stand and scattered around the fenced off field, were aware of it, the Berkeley backs had worked the ball down the pasture again to within the shadow of their goal posts. Two forward passes had worked to advantage and tackle formations over the line had turned the trick. On the next lineup, Incell received the ball on the 3 yard line and easily took the pigskin across for the second touch down of the day. Incell planted the ball squarely between the posts of the east goal. He booted the bean over the bar without difficulty and the score stood 11 to 0.

Fresno again kicked off to Berkeley, Hartley again running the ball back for 10 yards. With the ball on Berkeley's 25 yard line, Kern fumbled, but Martin recovered quickly. Incell was then forced to punt out of danger. After two futile attempts to pierce their opponent's stonewall line, Stone kicked 30 yards to Hartley, Fresno's line held, and Incell was forced to boot the ball up the field again.

It was a few minutes later that Wilcox distinguished himself by recovering Stone's long punt and with a half dozen Berkeley boys in close pursuit, dashed across the line for a touch down. Wilcox kicked the goal, the ball sailing squarely between the posts. Score 11 to 6. The sturdy little left half was given round after round of cheers for his brilliant work. He had picked up the ball and dashed away with it before anyone realized that he had planted the ball behind the line for Fresno's only score. The rooter's club then made themselves evident, but it was a mere flash in the pan. From then until the end of the game, Yell-leader Porter and his rooter's club were silent, for they had little opportunity to turn loose the yells of "Old Fresno Hi."

After the enthusiasm had died away and the spectators became content to sit and shiver in the crisp autumn air, while the sun rapidly sank into the west, Berkeley kicked off to Laning, who permitted the ball to bounce over his head. Prather recovered the wet pigskin, but was downed in his tracks, after he had slipped in the soft earth.

B. Sinclair was taken from the game, following the next scrimmage, and H. Sinclair went in at left tackle. After Berkeley had recovered the ball on downs, she was penalized ten yards for hurdling, Incell being the offender.

Incell punted, Prather returning the ball 5 yards. After working the ball to her 30 yard line, Captain Laning tried for a place kick. The attempt was a failure by three feet. After Berkeley had been given a free kick from Fresno's 15 yard line, Fresno returned the ball, Prather putting his toe against the pigskin.

An onside kick failed and the half ended at 3:50, with the ball in Berkeley's possession in midfield. Just prior to the blowing of the whistle, Incell went around left end for 4 yards and Martin made 5 more through left tackle. Score, end first half—Berkeley 11, Fresno 6.

Second Half.

Fresno kicked off at 4:05, Laning sending the ball to Kern, who ran it in 10 yards without trouble, good interference aiding him. On the next lineup, Incell went around right end for a sensational 15 yard run before he was downed. Fresno's line held, and Berkeley fumbled, but recovered neatly, and on the next play Incell broke through left tackle and made 25 yards, without interference.

The purple and gold warriors held again, "Little Dick" Crawford breaking through the interference and downing Incell for a loss on Berkeley's 8 yard line, when a goal appeared inevitable. On the next lineup, Kern took the ball over at the southeast corner of the field. Incell kicked out to Hartley, who heeled the ball on the 15 yard line. Incell kicked the goal. Score—Berkeley 17, Fresno 6.

This touch down had been made by Berkeley after nine minutes of actual play in the second half.

Fresno kicked off to Martin, who was downed in his tracks by Stone. Berkeley was penalized 10 yards for holding in the line. Incell punted down the field to Prather, who fumbled the catch, but recovered and was downed before he could regain his feet. Fresno punted, after a trick play had failed. Stone kicked to Incell, who was tackled by Pierson.

Incell went through left tackle for 4 yards. Kennedy got through and held Kern for a loss of 3 yards. A neat forward pass netted Berkeley 10 yards. With the ball again on Berkeley's 5 yard line, Incell took the mud-stained sphere over the corner of the field for the last score of the day. He kicked out to Hartley again on the 15 yard line.

The goal was missed. Score—Berkeley 22, Fresno 6.

Fresno kicked off to Martin, who ran the ball down the field, with splendid interference, for 30 yards, the longest run of the game. Stone broke up a forward pass, Pierson repeating the stunt, and Incell punted out of danger. On the first lineup, the ball was fumbled, Prather recovering for a 2 yard loss. A punt was signaled for, and Stone received the ball, almost under Berkeley's goal posts. He had no more than caught the bean than two or three Berkeley men were upon him, and Stone's attempt to boot the ball failed. Laning recovered the slippery pigskin. Wilcox punted 20 yards to Incell.

Incell was forced back by McDonald for a loss of 3 yards, and Berkeley was penalized 10 yards for holding in the line for the second time in the second half. Incell kicked the ball rolling over the goal line. In the next lineup after Fresno had kicked out from the goal, Stone was hurt and forced to retire, Coldwell replacing him at right half.

Berkeley was penalized 10 yards again. Incell punted, Prather catching the ball on the 3 yard line and returning the kick. Incell went around left end for 14 yards. Fresno held on the next play, and as Berkeley was forming for a punt, the blast of the whistle at 4:45 denoted the end of the second half and the game, with the ball in Berkeley's possession on her 15 yard line.

Coach McAndrews claimed a safety for his proteges in the first half, but the two points were disallowed by the officials.

The lineup of the teams was:

Fresno—		Berkeley—
Pierson	Left End	Morris, H. Sinclair
Tufts	Left Tackle	B. Sinclair
Kenney	Left Guard	Hanford
McCollister		
Momson	Center	Watkins
McDowell	Right Guard	Steele
Grimes	Right Tackle	Laird
Prather	Quarter	Hartley
Crawford	Right End	Boone
Wilcox	Left Half	Kern
Stone	Right Half	(C.) Incell
Coldwell		
Langing (C.)	Full Back	Martin

Time of halves—25 minutes.

Officials—Referee, McKenzie; Umpire, Leonard; timers, Moore and Stutt; linesmen, Jones and Torbit.

FOREIGN CAR, WITH WAGNER AT WHEEL, WINS BIG RACE

New Record Is Set for Auto Racing, Winning Machine Averaging 65 Miles Per Hour on Fast Track

SAVANNAH, Ga., Nov. 26.—A Fiat car, sent plunging through changing fog and sunshine over 402 miles of roadways by the experienced hand of Louis Wagner, won today the most spectacular, the longest and the fastest international automobile race ever brought off in this country. Fate played a game of hide and seek with three grim and grimy hooded figures that sat behind big steering wheels and throttles and fought with skill and daring for an advantage of seconds at the finish of the more than six hours of driving through the stifling fumes of burning oil, into storms of sand and gravel at risk of life and limb for the honor of a trophy cup and a purse of gold.

The three drivers who clung together from the very start were shuffled about like so many cards as the flying laps were reeled away.

For a time there was a fourth figure in the leading column, but when little more than a minute separated the first from the last of the cars in the whirring quartette a caprice of fortune sent one pitching from the road. Out of the mass of wreckage Fritz Erle, who had been driving the German Benz No. 19, was taken with a broken nose and broken jaw.

Still the struggle continued and it was not until the last minute of the last lap that the tide of victory turned to Wagner.

Nazarro, the wonderful Italian driver, holder of world's records and winner of numerous contests, who had clung tenaciously to a narrow margin of lead for more than a hundred miles, hesitated long enough at the supply pits to change a weakening tire and lost. The treacherous rubber tubing burst as he was about to enter the home stretch and three minutes of delay that followed sent the Grand Prix winner of last year and his Fiat No. 6 from first to third place. Hemery, in a German Benz No. 8, favorite of the followers of automobile racing, took second honors.

It was not until the official time was announced that the actual winner was known—that Wagner had hurled himself to victory by the slender margin of 56 seconds. Hemery was the first to finish the 16 laps of the race and enthusiastic thousands hailed him as winner without heeding the six minutes in the race which Wagner held. Hemery having been sent away at the start at 9:52 this morning and Wagner at 9:53.

The minutes of waiting after Hemery had driven the big Benz car over the finish line seemed to be hours to the adherents of the missing car. It was just as the fifth of the flying minutes was ticking itself away that the blast of bugles and the roar of "car coming" rang out.

"Wagner, Wagner, Wagner," cried the crowd, as, pitching down the stretch, the red car tore for the fateful line. The cheers suddenly changed to an oppressive hush as the narrowness of the time margin was realized and it was not until the judges signaled to the anxious little gang of Italian workmen in the supply pits that it was definitely known who had won.

Wagner drove a remarkably steady race. He stopped several times for supplies and once seemed to be in serious trouble right in front of the grandstand. Something was wrong beneath the car, and down under the maze of cranks and wheels the mechanician plunged. In a jiffy he was through. Wagner in the meantime had been pouring gasoline into one tank with his right hand and lubricating oil into another with his left. It was this delay that took Wagner out of the lead in 12 of the 16 laps of the race and gave it to Nazarro, whose troubles were to come later.

In winning this grand prize race of the Automobile Club of America over the Bent-Savannah course, Wagner set a new record for road racing in this country. George Robertson, in the Vanderbilt cup race of 258 miles last month, set the mark at 64.3 miles an hour. Today the longer distance of 402 miles was negotiated by Wagner for an average of 65.5 miles an hour. He averaged 23 minutes to each one of the 16 laps, which measured 25.13 miles. His fastest lap was made in 21.50 but the lap honors of the day went to De Palma, at the wheel of Fiat No. 18, which twice made the circle in 21.36, an average of about 70 miles an hour.

From the moment the race got fairly under way it developed into a battle between the foreign cars. The American racers seemed unable to stand the pace set out by the others and more powerful speed machines from France, Germany and Italy.

CARLISLE INDIANS WIN FROM ST. LOUIS ELEVEN

ST. LOUIS, Nov. 26.—A hard fought football game between the Carlisle Indians and St. Louis University teams here today was won by the former, 17 to 0. The contest was slow, but interesting, the Indians being forced to uncover their best line of tricks to win over the stubborn defense of the St. Louis linemen. A crowd of 18,000 or more watched the players, the occasion being favored by perfect weather conditions.

Throughout the first half the local eleven played sterling football. Three out of four times the Indians were forced to give up the ball when within the shadow of the goal posts, once when they needed but three feet and had two down to gain the distance.

In the first part of the second half, however, Carlisle played the St. Louis men off their feet. Series of plays, mixed up with brilliant forward passes gave two touch downs early and then the visitors went on the defense. Three times St. Louis had chances to score by goals from the field, but all the attempts failed and shifts in the lineup did no good.

The tag army will be after you on Saturday.

CORBETT COMES INTO HIS OWN IN LEGITIMATE COMEDY, SAYS PRESS AGENT

James J. Corbett, who appears in "Facing the Music" at the Barton tomorrow night.

James J. Corbett is coming into his own, says an advance notice. After several seasons in comedy drama, with now and then a play savoring of melodrama, and tours of the leading vaudeville theaters in a highly amusing monologue, he has yielded to the continued insistence of his friends that his real forte is legitimate comedy, and will come to the Barton tomorrow night in a successful comedy, "Facing the Music." It will be remembered that this play was originally presented with Henry E. Dixey in the principal character and ran for several months at the Madison Square theater, New York, and subsequently enjoyed an all summer's run at Powers' theater, Chicago.

Manager H. H. Frazee has engaged a strong supporting company, including Joseph Sullivan and Miss Eleanor Montell, the latter well and most favorably known in this city. The seat sale is now open.

"Just Out of College."

"Just Out of College" recalls some of the best things that the late Chas. Hoyt wrote. In the third act the young man steps up to the fresh ticket man in the railroad station:

"Have you seen my aunt?" he asks.

"This is not a detective agency," says the fresh agent.

"What is it, then?" asks the young man.

"It's a bureau of information."

"All right," the young man goes on, "is my hat on straight?"

The gag atmosphere of the piece is great. There is something doing all the time and in the matter of characters there is a string of "types" that reminds one of "Bird Center" at its best. There is a story to the piece, of course, an ingenuous yarn of a young fellow just out of college, his girls, his business affairs, his friends, and his scrapes. The chief interest s in the Ade method of working out the odd situations and the development of the sort of characters one sees about him every day—the only difference being that it takes the eye of a humorist to see just what is funny in all of these every-day people. Ade makes amusing the simple things that most people pass without a second glance.

"Just Out of College" will be presented at the Barton next Sunday evening for the first time in this city and will doubtless receive a hearty welcome. The seat sale is now open.

"The Land of Nod."

There was a large advance sale of seats for "The Land of Nod" at the Barton yesterday morning. It was one of the largest first day's sales of the season, and indicates that the big extravaganza production will be witnessed next Monday evening by as many people as can be crowded into the theater. Few shows come along bearing such a record of success as is enjoyed by "The Land of Nod." From all accounts, it is greeted by crowds everywhere, especially upon its return engagements, and there is reason to look for the same condition here. The public, generally, is quick to discover which of the shows are deserving, long before their appearance, and the results that the meritorious offerings are almost invariably greeted by immense audiences. This has been proven upon every occasion in this city as in the cases of "Coming Thro' the Rye," "The Lion and the Mouse," and others.

Old-Time Minstrels.

Twenty-nine years is a long time for an amusement enterprise to be before the public, for the theatrical sea is a stormy one, and its coast is strewn with wrecks. Many a ship has sailed gaily out of port with banners unfurled amid the blare of trumpets, never to return.

When you stop to think of the number of years Richards & Pringle's Famous Minstrels have been making the world laugh, you will admit that it is nothing short of marvelous, for of all branches of amusement business, minstrelsy is most beset with perils. Other minstrel companies have sprung up, flourished for a time and then disappeared, but this remarkable organization has gone along the even tenor of its way, and like Tennyson's brook, bids fair to "go on forever."

It's a great show they are offering this year, and it's new from stem to stern. They will appear at the Barton next Tuesday evening, December 1st. The seat sale opens tomorrow morning, prices 25, 50 and 75 cents.

PHILHARMONIC QUINTET ENTERTAINS TONIGHT AT Y. M. C. A. AUDITORIUM

The Philharmonic Quintet of artists and entertainers, which is to appear at the Y. M. C. A. tonight as the second attraction of the Star Entertainment course, has received most flattering receptions in every city and town where it has appeared. Its novelty, its versatility and its general excellence are bound to make it one of the most popular entertainments of the season.

Last Tuesday evening "The Strollers' Quartet" made a decided hit with the large audience and the Y. M. C. A. auditorium was proven to be an excellent place for the holding of such entertainments. The Philharmonic Quintet is an attraction of an entirely different character and is considered even superior to the "Strollers."

The program is both popular and educational. It appeals both to the eye and ear. Musical people are highly pleased and those who are not musical are entertained.

ALIEN BORN IN A LARGE CLASS

Will Appear on the 7th Prox. to Become Naturalized.

Biggest Court Gathering Since Uncle Sam Took Charge of the Work.

On the 7th prox., the first Monday in December, will appear before Judges Austin and Church the largest class of applicants for naturalization that has assembled locally since the federal government has under the newly enacted statute assumed to exercise supervision of the class and character of foreigners undertaking to assume the privileges and burdens of American citizenship. The class will number thirty-four equally divided as between the two departments of the court.

Heretofore the quarterly examinations have involved not more than about half a dozen applicants with their two sponsor witnesses, and even this small number has occupied a forenoon session of each court. A representative of the United States district attorney's office attends these quarterly levees and interrogates the applicants and his witnesses as to their knowledge of the alien and his antecedents. The unusually large number at the coming quarterly examination is accounted for on the theory that there were aliens who imagined before election day this month that they had only to have their final papers and that this of itself would permit them to step up to the polls and cast a vote. This citizenship timber had probably never heard of the prerequisite of registration and the other residence qualifications.

Deputy County Clerk Dwelle sent out notices yesterday advising applicants of the day of hearing and to bring with them each two witnesses. The class of applicants is composed of the following named:

Before Judge Austin—Joseph C. McCrory, 2522 Ventura; Jens Kjar, Oleander; Miguel Urrutia, Coalinga; Baptiste Matte, Coalinga; A. G. Casparean, Lone Star; J. G. Burgdorff, 561 E; M. Delcmecich, 421 E; R. K. Henriksen, 935 J; Gasbar Gazarian, 815 L; C. J. Sverstrup, Selma; J. P. Evangelho, 1827 Mariposa; Edvardo Maglio, Sanger; Francisco Sorrenti, Fresno; Krikar Boghasian, 241 L; Miguel Espinal, 923 Santa Fe; John Peterson, Kingsburg, and Frank Verdondi, 760 F.

Before Judge Church—Anton Feist, 1462 I; Phillip Busick, 461 D; M. P. Hansen, Fresno; Antonio Fratas, Fowler; A. B. Karahadian, Selma; A. Damirgian, 530 N; Jens Duysen, Mendota; Conrad Scheldt, 441 C; P. H. Bering, Fresno; Peter Gust, Parlier; William Kerner, 251 D; Ben J. Benson, Fresno; Nells J. Gustavsen, 1150 M; V. G. Kovacevich, 434 N, and W. J. Roehmer, 651 E.

MINNEOLA VINEYARD PURCHASED

O. J. Woodward Buys This Valuable Piece of Land.

Will Be Subdivided and Put on the Market By Moore & Owen Real Estate Firm.

A big real estate transaction was made yesterday in the purchase of the Minneola vineyard by O. J. Woodward of this city. The Minneola vineyard comprises 320 acres and is one of the finest producing vineyards in this county. It is located on Ventura avenue just seven miles east of Fresno.

The vineyard is in full bearing and is at present producing a ton and a quarter of raisins to the acre.

The firm of Moore & Owen will handle the tract for Mr. Woodward.

This firm will immediately subdivide this vineyard into 20 and 40 acre tracts and these will be put on the market for sale in a day or two.

This transaction was a good thing for Fresno. Heretofore this whole 320 acres was owned and occupied by one party. The present subdivided tracts will afford many comfortable home places for a group of families.

First class water rights will go with the tracts. The soil is rich, the production assured and a family can make a nice living on one of the twenty or forty acre tracts.

Moore & Owen state that the prices of these tracts will be very reasonable and that they will be put on the market immediately.

The Sunnyside car line, when extended, will run right by these tracts.

How to Succeed

In curing a cough is to take the right remedy at the right time and that is S. B. Lung Tonic which never fails to give results. At Smith Bros. Drug Store.

Notice to Creditors

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of A. O. Johnson, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, D. B. Johnson, administrator of the estate of A. O. Johnson, deceased, to the creditors and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to said administrator at the office of M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris in the First National Bank Building in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of business of said estate in the County of Fresno, State of California.

Dated: October 22nd, 1908.

D. B. JOHNSON,
Administrator of the Estate of A. O. Johnson, Deceased.

M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, Attorneys for Administrator.

IDAHO AND UTAH PLAY A TIE GAME

Gridiron Struggle Fought With Eight Inches of Snow on Field.

SALT LAKE CITY, Nov. 26.—One of the hardest fought football contests ever witnessed on Cummings field occurred today between Idaho and Utah universities, and resulted in a tie score, 0 to 0.

Though outclassed in punting, Utah managed to keep her opponents from scoring. In no time during the whole game did the ball go over through failure to make the required ten yards.

Fully six inches of snow was on the field when the game started.

Summons

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.
No. 12878.

Department No. ——. W. A. Conn, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Chester C. Frye, plaintiff, vs. F. R. Albro, Laura L. Albro, his wife; W. D. Lehr, and Clara B. Lehr, his wife; George H. Normington; Shepherd-Teague Co., a corporation; John Doe and Richard Roe, defendants.

The People of the State of California send greeting to F. R. Albro, Laura L. Albro, his wife; W. D. Lehr, and Clara B. Lehr, his wife; George H. Normington, Shepherd-Teague Co., a corporation; John Doe and Richard Roe, defendants:

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the said County of Fresno, State of California, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within this County; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or he will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and seal of the Superior Court of the said County of Fresno, State of California, this 12th day of October, A. D. 1908.

(Seal) W. O. MILES, Clerk.
By D. M. Barnwell, Deputy Clerk.

Endorsed: No. 12878. Superior Court. County of Fresno, Chester C. Frye, Plaintiff, vs. F. R. Albro et al., Defendant. Summons. W. A. Conn, Attorney for Plaintiff.

Notice of Street Work

Notice is hereby given that on Monday the 16th day of November, 1908, the Board of Trustees of the City of Fresno, State of California, did at its meeting on said day adopt a resolution of intention, No. 643, to order the following street work to be done in said city, to-wit:

That an artificial stone sidewalk six (6) feet in width be constructed on each side of Kern Street from the West curb line of "E" St. to the East curb line of "D" St. (excepting such portions of said street between said points along which an artificial stone sidewalk has been constructed), said sidewalk to be constructed in accordance with the specifications for said work on file in the office of the City Clerk and in accordance with the official grade of said city.

For further particulars of said work, reference is hereby made to said resolution on file in the office of the City Clerk.

W. L. HILLS,
Superintendent of Streets of the City of Fresno.

Notice of Sale of Real Estate

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate and Guardianship of Henry A. Camy, Julie Anna Camy, Alfred Pierre Camy and Lawrence Louis Camy, Minors.

Under authority of an order of sale granted by the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California, dated, November 23rd, 1908, I will sell at private sale the following described real estate, situated in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, to-wit:

The undivided two-thirds interest of said minors in and to that certain real estate described as follows: Beginning at a point 55.26 chains west of the northeast corner of Section 4, Township 14 South, Range 20 East, M. D. B. & M., thence west 3.03 chains; thence South 34.26 chains; thence East 3.03 chains; thence North 34.26 chains to place of beginning, less two strips of land described in deed, recorded August 16, 1898, in Volume 213 of Deeds, at page 64 et seq., Records of Fresno County, California.

The sale will be made on or after December 12th, 1908, and bids will be received at the law office of H. C. Tupper, Room 2 of The Farmers National Bank Building, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California.

Terms of sale, cash in United States Gold Coin.

Dated Fresno, Cal., November 25, 1908.

MARIE CAMY,
Guardian of the Persons and Estates of said Minors.

Notice of Sale

In the Superior Court of the State of California in and for the County of Alameda.

In the matter of the estate of M. C. Thellmann, deceased.

Under authority of an order of sale granted by the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda, on the 25th day of September, 1908, I will sell at private sale the following described real estate, to wit:

All that certain piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the County of Fresno, State of California, described as follows, to-wit:

The East half of the Southeast quarter of section twenty-four (24), Township Sixteen South, Range twenty-one East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian.

Said sale will be made on or after Thursday, the 12th day of December, A. D. 1908, and sealed bids therefor will be received at my office, Room 1101 Union Savings Bank Building, Oakland, Alameda County, California.

Bidders are required to accompany their bids by a certified check or bank draft for at least ten per cent of the amount of their bid, payable to the undersigned, said check or bank draft to be forfeited unless purchase price be paid within ten days after notice of acceptance of said bid.

The acceptance of any bid shall be subject to the approval of the Superior Court of the State of California, in and for the County of Alameda.

Dated Oakland, October 2nd, 1908.

GEO. GRAY,
Administrator of the estate of M. C. Thellmann, deceased.

Geo. W. Reed and John S. De Lancey, Attorneys for Public Administrator, 1101-2 Union Savings Bank Building, Oakland, California.

Notice to Creditors

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California. In the matter of the estate of Elizabeth Zediker, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Zediker, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administrator at Rooms 300-301 Land Co. Building in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate.

J. W. ZEDIKER,
Administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Zediker, deceased.

Dated Oct. 11, 1908.

Geo. Cosgrave, Attorney for Administrator.

Notice to Creditors

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of Peter V. Dalitian, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Hrepsima Dalitian, executrix of the last will and testament of Peter V. Dalitian, deceased, to the creditors and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice to said executrix at the office of M. B. Harris and E. M. Harris in the First National Bank Building, City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of business of said estate in the County of Fresno, State of California.

Dated: November 10th, 1908.

HIREPSIMA DALITIAN,
Executrix of the last will and testament of Peter V. Dalitian, deceased.

M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, Attorneys for Executrix.

Commissioner's Sale

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

Frank H. Short, plaintiff, vs. G. A. Buffington, defendant.

No. 12,501, Dept. No. 2.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure issued out of the Superior Court of the county of Fresno, state of California, on the 25th day of November, 1908, in the above entitled action, wherein Frank H. Short, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure against G. A. Buffington, defendant, on the 23rd day of November, 1908, for the sum of $1659.30, besides interest and costs, which said judgment and decree was on the 23d day of November, recorded in decree book, volume 9 of said court at page 448, et seq., I am commanded to sell in one piece or parcel, all that certain real property situate in the county of Fresno, state of California, described as follows:

The west half of the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section four (4) in township fourteen (14) south, range nineteen (19) east, Mount Diablo base and meridian, according to the United States Government Survey, together with all the improvements thereon and appurtenances thereunto belonging.

Public notice is hereby given that on Tuesday, the 22d day of December, 1908, at 1 o'clock p. m. of that day, in front of the westerly door of the court house of the county of Fresno, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure, sell the above described property to the highest and best bidder for cash lawful money of the United States.

Dated, November 25th, 1908.

O. GIBBS,
Commissioner appointed by said Superior Court.

F. E. Cook, Attorney for plaintiff.

Notice of Time Set For Proving Will, Etc

In Superior Court, County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Emma M. Nye, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Emma M. Nye, deceased, and for the issuance to Thomas H. Davis and Philip W. Davis of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court, and that Monday, the 30th day of November, 1908, at 2 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the Court room of Department No. 2 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of Fresno, in said County of Fresno, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where any person interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated November 18, 1908.

W. O. MILES, Clerk,
By H. E. Dwelle, Deputy Clerk.

Trustees Sale of Real Estate

Whereas, Albert C. Gutpill executed a certain deed of trust to Alex Gouras and J. M. Henderson Jr. Trustees, on November 17th, 1906 said deed of trust being dated November 7th, 1906, and was recorded on the 27th day of November, 1906, in Book 344 of Deeds, at page 353 and following, Records of Fresno County, State of California, said deed of trust conveying the real property hereinafter described for the purpose of securing the payment of a certain promissory note, made by the said Albert C. Gutpill; and whereas, default has been made in the payment of the interest on said note.

Now, therefore, by the authority vested in them by said deed of trust and upon application of the owner and holder of said note, the undersigned, as such trustees, will on November 27th, 1908, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., in front of the court house door, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash in United States Gold Coin, all the certain real property situated in the County of Fresno, State of California, and described as follows, to-wit:

The Southeast quarter of Section Eighteen (18); the Northeast quarter of Section Nineteen (19); the Northwest quarter and the West half of the Southwest quarter of Section Twenty (20), all in Township Thirteen (13) South, Range Twenty-two (22) East, Mount Diablo Base and Meridian, together with all the improvements and appurtenances thereto belonging, also all the rents, issues and profits thereof, together with all water rights and water ditches, water contracts and privileges that are in any way used, connected with or appertain to said lands.

ALEX GORDON, Trustee.
J. M. HENDERSON JR., Trustee.

Notice to Creditors

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the Estate of William Edgerly, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, W. A. Edgerly, Administrator of the estate of William Edgerly, deceased, to the creditors and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within four months after the first publication of this notice, to said Administrator at the office of M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, in the First National Bank Building in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of business of said estate in the County of Fresno, State of California.

Dated: November 10th, 1908.

W. A. EDGERLY,
Administrator of the estate of William Edgerly, deceased.

M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, Attorneys for Administrator.

Notice of Annual Meeting

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Channel Peak Mining Company will be held at the office of said corporation at No. 1004 Tulare Street, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, on Tuesday, the first day of December, 1908, at 10 o'clock a. m. of said day, for the purpose of electing directors and for the transaction of such other business as may be brought before said meeting.

B. SWINDALL,
Secretary.

Dated November 25, 1908.

Notice to Creditors

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of George W. Brooks, deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, H. D. Brooks, Administrator of the estate of George W. Brooks, deceased, to the creditors and all persons having claims against said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to said administrator, at the office of M. B. Harris and E. M. Harris, in the First National Bank Building, in the City of Fresno, County of Fresno, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of business of said estate in the County of Fresno, State of California.

Dated: Nov. 2nd, 1908.

H. D. BROOKS,
Administrator of the Estate of George W. Brooks, Deceased.

M. B. Harris & E. M. Harris, Attorneys for Administrator.

In the Superior Court of the County of Fresno, State of California.

George Mason, plaintiff, vs. George H. Tolman and George B. Tolman, Marian Tolman, Robert Gilbert, H. M. Shaw, and Alfred S. Moore, as trustees of Tolman's Landing and Vallecitos Railroad company, a corporation, California Safe Deposit and Trust company, a corporation, Edward J. LeBreton, as receiver of the California Safe Deposit and Trust company, an insolvent corporation, John Doe, Richard Roe, Sam Summons, Jennie Doe, Mary Roe and Jennie Summons, defendants.

No. 12789.

M. B. Harris and E. M. Harris, attorneys for plaintiff.

The People of the State of California send Greeting to George B. Tolman and George B. Tolman, Marian Tolman, Robert Gilbert, H. M. Shaw and Alfred S. Moore, as trustees of Tolman's Landing and Vallecitos Railroad Company, California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, a corporation, Edward J. LeBreton, as receiver of the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, an insolvent corporation, John Doe, Richard Roe, Sam Summons, Jennie Doe, Mary Roe and Jennie Summons, defendants.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior court of the said County of Fresno, State of California, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county, or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required the said plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or he will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior court of the said County of Fresno, State of California, this 15th day of August, 1908.

W. O. MILES, Clerk.
By I. M. Miles, Deputy Clerk.
(Seal)

MEETING NOTICES

GEORGE A. CUSTER CIRCLE NO. 13—Ladies of the G. A. R. meet first and third Saturday afternoon of each month at 1:30 o'clock, Risley hall on Fresno street. Addie L. Gross, president. Tenna Carpenter, secretary.

ATLANTA POST, G. A. R.—Meets the first and third Saturdays at 2 p. m. of each month at Risley hall, Fresno street. All members in good standing invited. W. W. Trusdell, Com. H. V. Parker, Adjt.

FOR SALE—Real Estate

160 ACRES young Muscat vineyard. Will sell it in subdivisions at $200 per acre, ¼ down and balance in 6 years at 6 per cent. You can't find Muscat vineyards growing on Mathews street. You have to go where they are and where the soil is adapted to them, and where there is no hardpan and no alkali. This vineyard is planted in the richest sandy loam soil in the state and is absolutely the best Muscat vineyard that grows, barring none and it will produce from 2 to 2½ tons per acre. An old vineyard 26 years old right by the side of it produced over 2 tons of raisins per acre last year and 1½ tons this year. When you buy, buy the best and you can make no mistake.

GEORGE V. MARTIN, 1141 J St., Fresno

$11,600—GREAT BARGAIN—$11,600

MODERN fruit ranch, 65 acres, 25 in full bearing peaches, 20 in young peaches, balance in sweet potatoes and alfalfa. Good 7 room house with modern improvements, large barn, cutting shed, outbuildings, fruit trays, boxes, sulphur house, etc. Team fine horses, cow, poultry, hogs, hay and farm implements, all to go. Choice location, plenty of good water, on S. P. R. R. ¼ mile from town. A rare bargain. Owner going into business. Must be sold immediately. $2750. Terms. Address Casard & Gerald, 536 Canal St., Merced, Cal.

160 ACRES—Young Muscat vineyard set in a rich sandy loam (granite sand) soil. An old Muscat vineyard 26 years old right by the side of this vineyard produced over 2 tons of raisins per acre last year and 1½ tons this year. This young vineyard will produce 2½ tons per acre. I will sell you 20 or 40 or 80 or the 160 acres. Price $200 per acre, ¼ cash, balance 6 years at 6 per cent interest.

GEORGE V. MARTIN, 1141 J St., Fresno

FOR SALE—16 acres income property one mile from city limits and ¾ of a mile from grocery and general merchandise store. Go west on Mono St. as far as Fig Ave., then go south just one mile, property adjoins Fresno Colony schoolhouse on Fig Ave. 1½ acres in Calimyrna figs 4 years old; 1½ acres in Thompson Seedless 4 years old; 1 acre shipping grapes in full bearing. 9 acres Muscats in full bearing, house, barn, trays and boxes. Price reasonable. May take city property as part payment. Address J. M. Grant, owner, general delivery, Fresno. Residence 319 I St. Main 2815. At home mornings 7 to 9, noon 12 to 2 o'clock, evenings after 6:30.

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THANKSGIVING OFFERINGS

$4500—7 room strictly modern house on three beautiful lots well improved with various kinds of fruit and flowers, good large barn. This place is easily worth $4250. Terms. This is on Calaveras Ave.

$2000—6 room modern cottage on Calaveras Ave. A snap at this price. Terms.

$1700—6 room cottage on Howard, lots 60x145. Owner forced to sell. Must be all cash. This is a genuine bargain.

$1000—3 very desirable lots on Neilsen.

$750—3 nice lots on Thomas Ave.

$500—2 lots on Van Ness, very desirable. A snap.

$4500—10 acres only one block from city limits, 5 acres in Muscats, balance in peach trees. Has 5 room hard finish house and good barn. This place can be cut up and sold off in city lots at a handsome profit. Better see us.

WE ADVERTISE nothing but first class investments.

S. & CO. STEBBINS & CO. S. & CO.
2029 Fresno. Tel. Main 276.

THANKSGIVING OFFERINGS—10 acres close in, 5 acres fruit, 4 acres Thompson Seedless, berries, 7 room house, barn no hardpan, no alkali, first class place, only $3650. Terms.

ALSO 80 ACRES heavy producing alfalfa with buildings, fine location, will produce 500 tons per year. S. A. OBERG, 1150 I St.

FINE RANCH home 120 acres only a few miles out of Fresno, rich soil, 40 acres full bearing vineyard, 10 acres peach orchard, 5 acres young orchard, 5 acres alfalfa. House 6 rooms, adobe house, barn, corrals for cows, poultry, etc. Team good mules, harness, farm implements, large flock of poultry, etc. carpets and furnishings, large water tank and windmill, fine shade around house. Price $11,000. For terms see

J. S. KNIGHT & CO., Room 30, Fiske Building, Fresno, Cal.

DON'T MISS THIS OPPORTUNITY

10, 20, 40, 60 OR 80 ACRES good rich Muscat land near Clovis for sale below market price or will trade for nicely improved income producing property. For particulars apply McKelvy Carver Co., 1036 J St., Fresno, Cal.

FOR SALE—4 houses, 3 on P St., one on Amador. Inquire L. Popovich, 1022 I St.

FOR SALE—The following great bargain all level land free from hardpan,

440 ACRES about 8 miles west and two miles south of Fresno, on the Kearney road two miles south of Kearney park. 8 room hard finished house, large barn windmill and tank and outbuildings, 4 horses, 2 mules, 60 young cattle, 70 tons hay and all farming implements go with the 440 acres, at $65 per acre. One half cash, balance easy payments. Or the owner will subdivide the tract as follows:

160 ACRES on which the buildings stand at $100 per acre. This is all in alfalfa, and free from hardpan or alkali, fenced and cross fenced, 1-3 cash.

160 ACRES adjoining the above, all level, no hardpan, about 40 acres slightly spotted with alkali, but all good for alfalfa, at $50 per acre, ½ cash.

120 ACRES about 1 mile west of the above, all vacant land, no hardpan, about 10 acres slightly spotted with alkali, price $50 per acre, ½ cash. Good water right goes with all the land. The owner of this land is going to Europe and is offering this bargain to get quick money. This is worth investigating.

CENTRAL CALIFORNIA BROKERAGE CO., 2022 Mariposa St., Fresno, Cal.

FOR SALE—ALFALFA LAND

WE HAVE the best land in county with good alfalfa, no alkali. Church water, fine for trees and vines. After first payment is made alfalfa will meet the balance, 20, 40 or 80 acres, easy terms.

$7500—60 acres improved alfalfa ranch, good buildings, easy terms, best of soil.

DAIRY RANCHES, complete, small or large.

RAW LAND—Good fruit land, $45 to $75 per acre, easy terms.

CHRISTIANSEN & HENRIKSEN, 1151 J St.

FOR SALE—A1 forty acre bearing orchard and vineyard, good location. Terms and price reasonable. Will exchange for city property. Address R. N., Box 32, Republican.

THOS. E. BRALY.

REAL ESTATE, LOANS, INSURANCE.

LARGE TRACT of land in Riverbend 5 miles southeast of Sanger for sale in subdivisions of 20 acres or more, $50 to $80 per acre, ¼ cash, balance long time at 6 per cent net.

5 ACRES orchard, six room house, barn and corral 2½ miles from town. Price $2500.

THOS. E. BRALY
Phone Main 1425. No. 1140 J St.

FOR SALE—Real Estate

COME IN AND SEE US
IF YOU WANT TO BUY
AN IMPROVED PLACE
WE HAVE THE BEST OFFERINGS
AND ALL ARE ATTRACTIVELY
PRICED

15 ACRES NEAR CLOVIS, $2000

THE SOIL is excellent and place was all planted last spring. 6 acres Muscats, 4 acres Malagas and about 50 peach trees, 4 room house, barn, other buildings. Terms.

10 ACRES MUSCATS, $2250

THIS IS near Fowler and is a very cheap place. All planted in heavy bearing Muscats. Easy terms.

10 ACRES, $3000, EASY TERMS

THIS IS a very productive place and has a pretty 5 room house, barn and other buildings. Located near Del Rey. 3½ acres in vines, 4½ acres peaches. Only $750 cash, balance 5 equal annual payments.

20 ACRES MUSCATS, $4000

ONLY 5 miles from Fresno. Vines are in fine healthy condition and are bearing splendidly. Small house. An unusually good buy.

20 ACRES KEARNEY AVE., $7500

17 ACRES in vines, mixed varieties, and 2 acres alfalfa. Good 7 room house, barn and other buildings, also lot trays and tools. A better location for a suburban home could not be found. $3000 cash, balance easy.

30 ACRES OUTSKIRTS FRESNO, $12,500

ONLY ¾ of a mile from city limits, 22 acres in Muscats, 5½ acres in peaches. A new modern 8 room house, barn and other buildings, trays, boxes, tools, etc. A splendid place in a most desirable location and an extra good value.

40 ACRES WELL IMPROVED, $6500

17 ACRES are in peaches and 20 acres in a fine stand of alfalfa. Latter paid $2000 this year.

EXTRA GOOD 40 ALL MUSCATS $12,000

THIS IS one of the heaviest bearing Muscat vineyards in the county. Owner is going away and will sell at a price that is really much less than it is worth considering the income. Only $4000 cash, balance $2000 a year.

60 ACRES IN FOWLER SECTION $16,000

44 ACRES are in mixed vines, mainly Muscats and 12 acres in peaches 3 years old, 3 acres alfalfa, good 5 room house, barn and other buildings, trays boxes and lot tools. The income from the place this season will be better than 30 per cent on purchase price. Terms at office.

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THAT IT WILL PAY YOU
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214 MERCANTILE PLACE

THERE IS NO BETTER INVESTMENT
THAN FRESNO HOUSES
AT PRESENT PRICES
WE HAVE THE LARGEST LIST,
AND BEST VALUES

FRESNO'S population is increasing rapidly as all know who take the trouble to investigate. It is best demonstrated by the scarcity of houses for rent. House and lot values have increased to a certain extent the past year or two but there is every indication for much greater increase in city property values in the near future. Every house here offered is a bargain and will make a good profit for the buyer in a short time.

FINE J STREET INVESTMENT

A 17 ROOM 2 story house and a 5 room cottage in the rear located on a close in corner on lot 75x150. This is an excellent investment since it will pay good interest in present valuation and the location is one that insures an early advance in value. Price $14,000. Only $5000 cash, balance easy. We are exclusive agents.

ATTRACTIVE FORTHCAMP AVE. HOME

A COMPARATIVELY new, strictly modern two story residence containing 10 rooms. It is a very attractive place, splendidly planned and well finished. Lot 75x150. Price only $6850. It is well worth $8000 but has been priced low for a quick sale. Terms $2750 cash, balance to suit. We are exclusive agents.

PRETTY S STREET COTTAGE

THIS IS a modern house of 6 rooms and is located in a desirable part of S street, lot 50x150, shade, fruit, etc. About half cash.

VAN NESS AVE. SNAP

THE PRICE is only $4000 and it will buy what we consider a rare bargain. An 8 room modern house on 75 foot lot. The place is a very comfortable one and is in a splendid neighborhood. Only $1000 cash and balance $500 per year.

ANOTHER GOOD ONE ON VAN NESS

THIS IS a new cottage of 5 rooms, with every modern convenience and furnished in a most attractive manner, lot 50x150. Price $2300. Easy terms.

PRICE CUT—MUST SELL

A WELL LOCATED, well planned and well finished modern cottage of 5 rooms, lot 60x125. Owner very anxious to sell owing to death in family. Price cut to $2250. Would be cheap at $2550. Only $650 cash, balance easy monthly payments.

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QUALITY COLONY
IS THE GREATEST
RAW LAND
BARGAIN PROPOSITION
ON THE MARKET

IT IS the best land for Muscats. The soil is the kind in which are planted vineyards yielding 3 tons or more per acre. Just as good for peaches, other varieties of grapes, etc. Surrounding vineyards and orchards tell what Quality Colony land will produce. Price $80 an acre. Easy terms.

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THE LAND OF
THE EARLY ORANGE
WAHTOKE THERMAL TRACT
MOUNT CAMPBELL
ONLY $100 ACRE WITH WATER

THIS IS the best and cheapest orange land on the market. It is in the proven orange belt. Fine deep soil of red mineral and dry bog varieties, strictly frostless. Come in and talk it over and arrange to go out and look.

PIERCE & ANDERSON
1152 J Street. Phone Main 55

FOR SALE—Real Estate

HAVE NOW vacant and ready for your inspection, thoroughly modern, corner lots, extra fine shade, an ideal spot for your home. For a quick sale it is offered at a low price. Ask us about it.

FORTHCAMP AVE—Fine modern 6 room house, two lots.

$550 CASH, the balance on good terms for this new house of 5 rooms in north part town.

NORTH L STREET—Two fine modern homes, only two blocks from park.

$500 CASH for large modern house on Neilsen Ave. Balance on terms.

LOT 50x120 for $20 cash, with city water and graded street, 2½ blocks to car line. You may pay balance at $10 per month.

LOT 59x167 near Forthcamp Ave., city water. Offered for $700, 1-3 cash, balance 1, 2, 3 years.

A LARGE PROFIT for you. We have a contract on 5 acres close to new extension of Forthcamp car line. We want to subdivide it, can show you how to double your money.

EWING-McDANIEL CO., 1036 J St.

40 ACRE dairy ranch close in, good buildings, horses, 10 cows, all implements. Price $3750. Will trade for city property. Also a choice lot of unimproved land for sale. OBERG, 1150 I St.

FOR SALE—52½ acres near Clovis, 34 acres Muscats, 5 acres Thompson Seedless, 5 acres Emperors, 5 acres alfalfa, balance in trees, 5000 new trays, sweat boxes, water right, all good land. Mrs. F. M. Tobin, 204 Park Ave., or Mrs. F. J. Crayeroft, R. F. D. No. 6.

FOR SALE—40 acres partly improved, house. Price $3000. Terms $1000, balance time. Apply 1240 L St.

IF YOU ARE looking for property
It will pay you to consult
Me and review my list.
I have improved places in five
Ten, twenty, forty, sixty,
Eighty and one hundred-
Sixty acre tracts to
Suit the most critical buyer.
Also have many unimproved
Properties in small and
Large tracts, at prices
That are reasonable.
WM. E. G. SAUNDERS,
Rooms 1 & 2,
Short Building.

IMPERIAL VALLEY LANDS have a greater earning capacity per acre than any land on earth. For price list and information address James S. White, Jr., and R. A. Holt, Holtville, Cal.

FOR SALE—Prettiest home on Forthcamp Ave.; 10 rooms with every convenience. Price and terms reasonable. If interested address F. C., Box 37, Republican.

ORANGE VALE COLONY — Excellent dry bog, with southwest exposure, pumping plant installed, eight miles of from 6 to 11 inch cement pipe already laid for the purpose of irrigating this beautiful tract. Arrange with F. S. Knauer of Reedley to show the land. S. F. EARL, 912 Pacific Bldg., San Francisco, Cal.

FORSALE—2 houses and 2 lots. Inquire 112 Diana.

FOR SALE—50 or 75 acres good peach or grape land under ditch, no payment required on principle for four years if land is improved.

HABER BROS. CO., 1140 J St.

ACRE LOTS
BELMONT AVENUE
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HEIGHTS
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$350 AND $400 EACH
EASY TERMS
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EUCALYPTUS LANDS
640 ACRES $16 ACRE
1280 ACRES $10 ACRE

FOR SUBDIVISION
640 ACRES, $30 ACRE

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2½ SECTIONS of alfalfa, with water $75 per acre.

223 ACRES of alfalfa well improved with stock and implements, $15,000.

CHOICE vineyard property near Fresno and adjoining towns.

80 ACRES raw land near Conejo, $1600; 10 ACRES partly improved near Fresno, $1100.

HOUSES for sale in all parts of city.

COUNTRY property to trade for city property.

SEVERAL tracts of good land near Merced, $35 and $40 per acre.

THEO. HARRIS,
1153 I St. Phone Main 668.

FOR SALE—5 room house, 4 lots, cheap. Terms. 1550 Harvey Ave.

BARGAINS

TWO TWENTY ACRE places in Scandinavian Colony. Both improved, good income and easy terms.

$12,000—80 acres near Del Rey, mostly two year old vines (50 acres Muscats), easy terms. No. 845.

$90 PER ACRE—90 acres raw land east of Fresno, adjoining De Wolf station. 1-3 cash, balance can remain for five years. No. 842.

$8000—80 acres improved, between Lone Star and Sanger. All in vines 1, 2 and 3 years old, water right and some buildings. Easy terms. No. 852.

RAW LAND near Clovis, $50 per acre, easy terms.

SUNSET REALTY CO., Main No. 531. W. L. Chappell, P. Rice, H. Jacobsen.

—STRATHMORE ORANGE LAND—

BETWEEN Lindsay and Porterville. 3600 acres high grade land for oranges and table grapes in large and small tracts, $90 to $125, abundant water, sold on 6 years' time, frostless belt, close to railroad, postoffice, school and church, magnificent soil, beautiful location. Write for maps, prices, terms.

ALEXANDER LAND CO., 1050 J St.

HERE IS A BARGAIN on Mariposa Ave. Four lots, five room house. Price $1500, cash $300.

MODERN five room house north of sanitarium, $1500, cash $775, balance monthly installments.

TWO LOTS, six room house, Kalsina St., $900, cash $200.

NEW FOUR ROOM house with fruit and shade trees, two lots on Belmont Ave. $1200.

CALL AND SEE our list of other properties. It is too long to advertise in full.

PEARSON'S REALTY EXCHANGE,
1944 Tulare St.

—UNIMPROVED LAND—

THE WAVERLEY tract, Centerville and McCall roads, extra good land for trees, vines, oranges; close to railroad, schools, shipping station; in tracts of 20 acres and up. Church water, $70 to $80, ¼ cash, balance 4 years, 6 per cent interest.

ALEXANDER LAND CO., 1050 J St.

FOR SALE—By owner, 60 acres of first class vineyard, also 30 acres, 5 year old vineyard. Tel. State 2051.

FOR SALE—Must be sold quick, a cottage and 2 lots close in. Ask J. Athol Kraft, 1145 K St.

FOR SALE—Real Estate

RAW LAND! RAW LAND! RAW LAND!

WE STILL have several choice 20's and 40's left in our tract at Clovis.

IF YOU are looking for raw land you cannot afford to buy without seeing us first. Our proposition is bound to suit both as to price and terms. We wish to close out the entire tract as quickly as possible and consequently are offering great inducements. See us before the best is taken.

SAN JOAQUIN INVESTMENT CO., 1154 I St.

30 ACRES 3½ miles northeast of Fresno; 26 acres vineyard, half raisin, half wine grapes, 3 acres alfalfa, 4 room house and bath, wind mill and tank, wagon, vineyard truck, all implements, trays, boxes, trayshed, chicken house and large barn, peach, fig and orange trees for family use. Price $7500.

20 ACRES 3½ miles from Fresno, good house, barn, chicken house, all fenced, 15 acres improved. Price $3500.

HOUSES and lots in all parts of town at low prices.

F. M. CHITTENDEN & CO., by C. Erickson, 2007 Mariposa St.

FOR SALE—By owner, 15 acres, 1½ miles from Sanger, 12 acres Muscats, 200 fig trees, 1½ acres alfalfa, balance family orchard, berries, eucalyptus grove, lawn, small house, barn, good water right. Terms. Address Box 287, Sanger, Cal.

FOR SALE—20 acre ranch well improved, with new buildings. For particulars phone State 2053.

A BARGAIN—One ninth interest in Eucalyptus Forestry Co. of Fresno is offered for $1000. Containing 320 acres of good land, 100 acres with one year old eucalyptus trees, pumping plant, teams and farming implements, $1500, house and good barn. Apply at L., Box 37, Republican.

FOR SALE—5 room hard finished house and three lots, shade and fruit trees, one and one half block from double track car line, nice home. Buy of owner and get this place cheap. Apply at 671 Inez St.

$55 PER ACRE—480 acres, five miles from good town, all good land, fenced in 12 (hog tight) fields, all old alfalfa fields, all ditched, plenty of water for irrigation. $4200 house, twelve rooms, $1000 barn, room for 40 horses, and 100 tons hay, family orchard and vineyard, near school, rural route, telephone (no exchanges). Address P. M. Nelson, Hanford, Cal.

PROSPERITY HAS COME
BARGAINS IN REAL ESTATE

10 ACRES near Clovis, 8½ acres Malagas, 1 acre orchard, water right, pumping plant, 3 room house, barn, farming implements, $3200. Terms.

20 ACRES near Rolinda, 16 acres in alfalfa, 4 acres raw land, water right. Price $2000, ½ cash, balance on easy terms.

20 ACRES near Clovis, extra fine producer, 11 acres Muscats, 1 acre peaches 2 acres apricots, 1½ acres olives, 3 room house, barn, trays and boxes, 2 horses, 1 cow and farming implements, new wagon, harness, surrey, phaeton. Price $4500.

40 ACRES 6 miles north of Fresno, 3 acres bearing Muscats, 21 acres peaches, 5 acres alfalfa, fine 7 room house, good barn, outbuildings. Price $6000, $2500 cash, balance to suit.

40 ACRES near Lone Star, 13½ acres Muscats, 6½ acres Sultanas, 10 acres peaches, 4 and 5 years, water right, 4 room house, barn, outbuildings, trays and boxes, farming implements, $6500, ½ cash.

43 ACRES near Fowler, 17 acres in peaches, 21 acres alfalfa, 5 years old, no buildings, $7500; $4000 cash, balance terms to suit.

WE HAVE rare bargains and it will pay you to see us. We can give you valuable information whether you wish to buy or sell.

ALEXANDER LAND CO., 1650 J St.

FOR SALE—A REAL SNAP

160 ACRES—Good location. 40 acres in Thompson Seedless, 65 acres in Muscats, 40 acres peaches all 3 years old, small house, good barn, only 40 acres left of the heavy red soil near Sunnyside, easy terms.

320 ACRES fine level land, no alkali or hardpan, only $15 per acre.

$4400—Large 2 story house and 90 foot lot, 4 blocks from High school.

$2100—Nice modern cottage on S St., easy terms.

4 CHOICE LOTS on Neilsen Ave., below the market price.

HABER BROS. CO.,
1140 J St.

FOR SALE—20 acres of 6 year old peaches, also ¼ section in vines, trees and alfalfa, an 80 acre vineyard with a splendid home, 3 miles from town. All in first class condition.

SEVERAL 40 acre tracts of good alfalfa land at $75 per acre. Write SELMA LAND CO., Selma, Cal.

FOR SALE—25 room lodging house, best located in city. Address "C," Box 37, Republican.

MUSCAT VINEYARD—Young, all Muscats, will produce 2½ tons of raisins to the acre, 60 acres, will sell 20 or 40 or the 60 acres. Price $300 per acre, the best of terms. I will take good city property as part payment. You can rent this vineyard for ⅓ of the crop and without touching it, it will pay for itself every 5 years. There is no alkali or hardpan on this vineyard. This is the best vineyard in the San Joaquin valley. An inspection of it will prove every word I say to be true. George V. Martin, 1141 J St., Fresno.

FINE TULARE ST CORNER

NORTH CORNER of Tulare and R Sts. Look for my big sign on this property. Suitable for swell single residence, or for three or four smaller dwellings for income purposes. Size 150 by 100 feet. Price right. Terms. AL BRAVERMAN 110 Land Company Building.

HOMESTEAD LAND

HAVE YOU a right to file on land? I have listed several very desirable quarter sections near the famous Cheney ranch. Several near Mendota. Others near Summit Lake, also several on the Canton creek. You can enter these either under the "homestead" or "desert" act.

GEO. H. MILLWARD, 1135 J St.

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HAVE for sale houses and lots on easy terms and payments. Vineyards, orchards, lands. Houses to rent all over city. Fire insurance sold, bonds issued. Notary public in office.

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SEE HABER BROS. for Mendota lands.

MOORE & OWEN

Real Estate, Investments, 1054 J St.

THE GIFFEN TRACT—Come let us show you this land, no better in the county with water right, ditches made, water on the land.

LET US give you our hot weather prices Just think 20 acres good vineyard or orchard land, with first class water right only 8 miles from town.

FOR SALE—160 acres first class land. If you want a good piece of land don't fail to see this. Price $35 per acre.

GOOD LAND near Fresno in tracts to suit, $75 to $125 per acre, good reasonable terms.

20 ACRES, ⅓ in orchard, balance prepared. Price $2500.

ONE ACRE and five acre lots for suburban homes on easy payments. Come and have a talk with us.

CRUTCHER & HANSEN,
2039 Mariposa St.

CITY PROPERTY. EASY PAYMENTS

$850—4 room house Sarah St.

$700—4 room house, Nevada Ave.

$600—4 room house, Isabella St.

COUNTRY PROPERTY. EASY TERMS

10 ACRES highly improved, close in, $1500, vines, trees and alfalfa. Snap.

5 ACRES FOR 1500 DOLLARS

NEW BUILDINGS, stock and implements.

40 ACRES ALL IMPROVED

VINEYARD and orchard, good buildings, $5000, easy payments, windmill.

H. R. SIMPSON LAND CO.,
Over Hollands', 2041 Mariposa St.

WANTED—Miscellaneous

WANTED—Two young men to board and room together. 713 N St.

WANTED—Washing to do at home, satisfaction guaranteed. Phone Tel. State 2465.

WANTED—Married couple to occupy 3 unfurnished rooms in ranch house, 4 miles out, no rent asked, one child not objected to. Apply 1743 White Ave.

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ESTRAYED

ESTRAYED—From Sanger, one black horse, rather old and weighing about 1150 lbs. Finder please notify Clato Phillips, Sanger.

ONE BROWN MULE, weight 1200 lbs., tip off left ear, spavins on both hind legs, old. Notify R. C. Barnes, Selma. Reward.

LOST—On La Fever creek, November 5th, chestnut sorrel horse with marks of saddle and hackamore, freshly shod all around, enlarged leg below tight knee. Finder please notify J. E. Hill, Fresno.

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CALIFORNIA SHOULD SAY AMEN TO HENEY'S THANKSGIVING FOR HIS SPARED LIFE, SAYS PASTOR

REV. CHARLES COKE WOODS IN HIS SERMON AT YESTERDAY'S UNION SERVICES DECLARED IT WAS THE MURDEROUS SPIRIT OF GRAFT THAT DIRECTED THE BULLET AT THE HEAD OF FEARLESS PROSECUTOR.

It was a large and exceedingly thankful audience that filled the First Presbyterian church yesterday morning at the union Thanksgiving services. The services were held under the auspices of the Ministerial Union and Rev. Duncan Wallace presided.

Rev. W. B. McElwee of the Belmont Presbyterian church read the Scriptural lesson and Rev. Thomas Boyd read the Thanksgiving proclamation. The opening prayer was delivered by Rev. J. B. Perkins of the First Christian church and Rev. Gould of the First Congregational church.

Special Thanksgiving music was rendered by the choir of the First Presbyterian church under the leadership of Prof. A. H. Wahlberg. "Praise the Lord" and "Ye Shall Go Out With Joy" were sung by the choir, while Miss Zoe Glasgow and Mrs. F. H. Connally rendered two beautiful solos.

Thanksgiving Sermon.

The sermon was preached by Rev. Charles Coke Woods, in the course of which he said it was the murderous spirit of graft that directed the bullet at Francis J. Heney. The sermon in full is as follows:

Text: "Forget not all His benefits."—Psalm 103:2.

God never tells us to do the impossible. He never asks us to remember all His benefits. We could never do that. His benefits are as multitudinous as the sands of the sea and the stars of the sky. No man can count them all nor remember them all. God knows that. He knows that, like little children, we quickly forget. But he tells us kindly not to forget them all. "Forget not all His benefits." And certainly unless our hearts are entirely devoid of gratitude we will remember some of God's benefits.

A little girl walked out with her father on a starlit evening. She danced gleefully as she danced at his side. "Papa, I believe I will count the stars, they are so many and so beautiful, one, two, three—oh Papa, there are so many beautiful stars, I can never count them all." God's benefits are like that. We can never count them all. Who can estimate the benefits we have received in sleep when we could neither count nor remember. Could the unconscious benefits of your life be printed in a book, what a huge volume it would make. No mathematician could figure up the sum.

Some of the Benefits

But the Hebrew singer who has given us our beautiful thanksgiving text does rehearse some of God's benefits. He chants them in this sweet song of the one hundred and third Psalm. There are the multitudinous benefits of forgiveness: "Who forgiveth all thine iniquities." Surely that is right to put forgiveness foremost among God's benefits. Then there is the benefit of good health. "Who healeth all thy diseases." Then the singer of my text shouts out the infinite benefit of redemption: "Who redeemeth thy life from destruction." In addition to the redemption of Calvary there is the continuous redemption of God's protecting power. He constantly redeems or saves us from the destructive forces that play about us on every hand. The redemption of the Cross is complete, but this redemption of God's protecting care goes with every one of us through our whole life time. The mercy of this redemption is new every morning. Then there is the coronation of this loving kindness, God weaves this chaplet of kindness about every man's brow. "Who crowneth thee with loving kindness and tender mercies." This singer is in a hey-dey of happiness. He cannot stop singing of God's benefits. Now he speaks for us every one on this glad thanksgiving day, "Who satisfieth thy mouth with good things." Ah, that is the beauty of God's sympathy. It sweeps across the widest ranges of celestial poetry and gives us practical greeting at the thanksgiving dinner. That is like God. He is needed everywhere. And He is everywhere.

God, Chief Executive

But our singer does not forget the benefit of physical strength. "So that thy youth is renewed like the eagle's." Amid the old sorrows of the world these renewals of God keep us from despair. This Psalm reminds us on this thanksgiving morning that God is the chief executive among the affairs of human governments. "He executh righteousness and judgment for all that are oppressed." Our human history says that Bismarck did that, Washington did that, Lincoln did that. But this higher history declares that God did it. "He executh righteousness." God is still the world's chief executive. Let this state and this nation never forget that great benefit. Thank God for the benefit of the revelation of Himself. He is no hidden God. He comes out into the open. He makes himself known. "He made known His ways unto Moses, and His acts unto the children of Israel." No nation will ever fall while it copies the acts of God in human history. "He led Israel like a flock by the hand of Moses and Aaron." Yes. The leadership was by human hands, but it was God's leadership. Do not forget that, California. Do not forget that, America.

For the sake of definiteness and for the practical help I would like to give you today I will ask you to note particularly three classes of God's benefits. Look at His material benefits. Look at His mental benefits. Then look at His moral benefits. This will be our three-fold Thanksgiving theme.

His Material Benefits

"He satisfieth the mouth with good things." Who grows the grapes? God. Who grows the oranges? God. Every good gift comes from God. It is as true of material gifts as it is of spiritual gifts. The gift may be delivered by a human hand, but the gift is from God. The Greek may sell the good things to eat, but God makes them. God makes the oranges, but He does not always make the orangeade. I think the chemist and the confectioner do that mostly, for it is sometimes badly mixed with foreign substances. God makes olives, but He does not make all the olive oil that is on the market, for much of that is mixed with cotton seed oil. God does not adulterate things that way. "Forget not all His benefits." Remember His material benefits.

I have read lately that most of California's wealth comes from the mountains. The coal comes from the mountains. The gold comes from the mountains. The lumber comes from the mountains. The water with which the valleys are irrigated comes from the mountains. The most of our grain is grown along the foothills of the mountains. Well may California say concerning these material benefits, "I will lift up mine eyes unto the hills from whence cometh my help." If we could only understand it all of our help comes from the hills of God. Our material benefits are all from God. "He maketh the grass to grow for the cattle, and the herb for the service of man."

His Mental Benefits

All the wise men of the world could not measure the mental benefits that come to us through the five senses alone. Musical instruments and human voices minister to the mind through the ear. We must not forget all God's mental benefits of music. Think, too, of the mental delights that come to us through the eye. The beauties of nature and art all minister to the mind through the eye. We must not forget God's mental benefits of beauty. The scent of the rose and other floral fragrances are benefits that come to the mind through the olfactories. It was Oliver Wendall Holmes who declared that the sense of smell is the shortest route to the memory. How the scent of the flower or the apple blossom awakens the happy memories of childhood days. How much of the natural pleasure of life comes from the flavor of foods. All of this through the sense of taste. Then how the tactual nerves tingle with delight in the fresh air of a frosty morning.

Every one of the natural sciences is to be reckoned as among the mental benefits of mankind. These are gifts of God through gifted human minds. For lack of botany is God who made the flowers and shrubs. Lack of astronomy is God who made the stars.

"Forever singing as they shine, The Hand that made us is divine." Lack of all the natural sciences is the supernatural God. Forget not all the mental benefits of science.

Every useful mechanical contrivance is a mental benefit. It is a ministry of mind. For every machine is simply the mechanical expression of some mind. Among these mental benefits must also be counted superior surgery, superior sanitation and superior healing agencies. All good schools and good libraries and good books must be considered among our mental benefits. Let us not forget to thank God for them.

His Moral Benefits

This would lead us to consider the persistence of the moral conscience in mankind. It would lead us to consider all good institutions and all good people who have helped us to better things.

"I humbly thank Almighty God for my miraculous escape from death." These are the first words of a brave attorney in his message to the people of San Francisco as he comes back from the door of death. And he was driven to that door by the muderous spirit of graft. That spirit would annihilate the home, the church, the school, all courts of law and our American civilization itself. So when this man who is fighting for Christian civilization than God for his miraculous escape from death, let all the people say 'Amen.' Let the people of San Francisco say 'Amen.' Let the people of California say 'Amen.' Let the people of this law-abiding nation say 'Amen.'"

Let our people listen once again to the timely words of our great American poet James Russell Lowell. They fit into our times today as a hand fits into a glove.

"Truth forever on the scaffold,
Wrong forever on the throne,
Yet that scaffold sways the future,
And behind the dim unknown
Standeth God within the shadow
Keeping watch above his own.

"Count me o'er earth's chosen heroes,
They were souls that stood alone;
While the men they anonized for
Hailed the contumelious stone;
Stood serene, and down the future
Saw the golden beam incline
To the side of perfect justice,
Mastered by his faith divine,
By one man's plain truth to manhood,
And to God's supreme design."

Hero Stands Alone

Yes, to human eyes some times the hero stands alone. But God Almighty always stands by the man who stands by Him in the brave and blessed fight to save humanity. Will anybody say that he did not stand by the heroic Daniel in the days of Babylon's graft and debauchery? Will anybody say that He did not stand by Paul when he fought with "the wild beasts at Ephesus?" Did not God stand by Kossuth of Hungary, Garibaldi of Italy, Tellemachus of Rome, Savonarola of Florence, Luther of Germany, Cromwell of England, and Abraham Lincoln of the United States of America? Every man of them could say "God who is for us is more than all that can be against us." California and this nation can say that in the present fight against graft and that vile vulture we call the saloon.

Robert Browning has a great poem entitled "Instans Tyrannus." In this poem he gives a wonderful picture of the way in which God stands by the just man and the just cause. A tyrant plans to crush and kill the just man to get him out of his way. This cruel tyrant seeks to bribe the just man with jewels and gold, but the good man stands unmoved. Then the tyrant tries to break his heart by the slaying of the good man's mother. But the good man swerves not a hair's breadth from his purpose. Then the tyrant seeks to beset him with fluxions of wine. It is all of no avail. Then in desperation the tyrant attempts to bribe the good man or slay him with deadly explosives. Having everything in readiness this tyrant withdraws to a safe distance to watch the final disaster. But the good man who had been crushed to the earth like some helpless beast suddenly springs to his feet, catches "the skirts of God" and prays; then trembling the affrighted tyrant mutters, "I was afraid!" No tyranny can stand forever against truths and truth and God. This tyrant was amazed to see the whole sky from pavage to blue vault suddenly take the form of a shield for the protection of the good man. A great army started to move the earth which was the men of the Almighty and the just man exclaimed, because God was with him. My brothers, the connection of righteousness will not come in this great conflict with God of course.

Victor Hugo has in one of his books a most pathetic theme, the defeat of Napoleon at Waterloo. He asks the question "Would it have been possible for Napoleon to have won at Waterloo? Then he says to me, No. Why? Because of the dead? No. Why could Napoleon not have won at Waterloo? Because of God."

American citizens of California in close, my message to you today is, I ask, could it be possible for graft and the saloon to triumph in this country? No, why? Because of Heney? No. Because of Francis Heney? No. Because of Theodore Roosevelt? No. Why cannot graft and the saloon triumph in this nation? Because of Almighty God. "He who is for us is more than all that can be against us."

Don't be lonesome on "Tag Day." Come out and get in the game.

"MAN IS AS OLD AS HIS STOMACH"

This Persian Epigram is the Real Gauge of a Man's Life

The Persians were a very sagacious people, noted among other things, for their deep thinking on life and the things which make up life.

The above epigram shows the wisdom of their thought.

When a man's stomach is able to furnish new material to the system as fast or faster than the natural decay of man requires, then such a man lives his fullest and his best.

When through wrong living or disease a man's stomach begins to tax the other organs and takes from the blood strength which it cannot give back in nourishment taken from food, then begins the death of man and he decays fast. The stomach is strong, splendidly strong, and can stand an untold amount of abuse and neglect, but when it dies, man dies.

The stomach gives tons upon tons of good rich blood every year to the system and draws only 880 lbs. of nourishment for its own use. If, however, the food which it receives can not be carried into blood which is capable of use by the body, then the stomach receives no help from the other organs.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets contain the most perfect digestive qualities known to science and at the same time the most powerful. They will mix with the poisonous juices of a sick stomach and digest food in spite of this handicap.

They will stop gas making and bad breath. They tone up the nerves of the whole digestive canal, including those of the stomach.

A single ingredient contains strength enough to digest 3000 times its weight in mixed food.

They have stood the test of time and today are more sought after than all their imitators combined.

They are used and endorsed by 40,000 physicians. Every druggist sells them, price 50c. It costs nothing to demonstrate their value. Send us your name and address and we will send you a trial package by mail free. Address F. A. Stuart Co., 150 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

DOOR OF POOL IS OPEN WIDE

Light Holds Out to Burn for Outsiders.

Fairweather Believes 2000 More Acres Should Be Signed in Two Days.

Editor Republican—Our raisin pool is strong, but we recognize that every 1,000 tons more we get in makes us that much stronger. Now we decided to close the pool last Saturday at 3 o'clock, and did so; yet we advised that if those at a distance who signed would mail their statement and give in their letter power to sign their name to our long list they would be accepted. Several tons have come in by mail this way.

Some of our members wanted the door left open one more week, but the majority thought we had held open long enough, and we have. There can be no question as to that, for such a pool as we proposed should have been signed up in ten days. But as we have not met yet directly with the real powers that be who will purchase this block of raisins and are likely to do so by next Monday, we will undertake to open our pool door wide open for Friday and Saturday this week for any raisin growers who have not signed to do so. We will be at room 220 Forsyth block, so that any one can come in and sign, or sign at the Chamber of Commerce rooms if you like it best. We promise you, late brother, we won't tell tales who does sign these two days. We won't abuse you for not doing so earlier.

If any grower at some distance wishes to sign, will mail us power to sign for him, giving his tonnage of each variety we will do so gladly. We should have 2,000 tons more these two days. If we get them we will sell the pool of Muscats inside or next week. I simply mention Muscats, because it is by far our largest tonnage and most in demand.

Just now, Mr. Outsider, you cannot be fleeced by us, as you will draw your own money from the purchaser. Don't think of any former association; look to the present. We are here to stay and this pool will be successful and many more like it will follow. We have raised all necessary expenses so far by passing the hat at our meetings. We raised in this way $208.19. We have paid all expenses and have a small surplus; just think of that. Come in, we need your raisins, we need your counsel. If you don't sign up with us, don't tell us, please don't tell us, "We are with you." Every holder of raisins is against us who doesn't sign with us. The packer realizes this and says so, and it is true. Come in, show your good will for this community and we will kill the fatted calf.

JOHN FAIRWEATHER.

COMMISSION IN FRESNO TODAY

To Look Into Fresno's Agricultural Conditions.

Committee from Chamber of Commerce to Meet Delegation This Afternoon.

President Roosevelt's farm commission will be in Fresno today for the purpose of learning some of the reasons why the farmer is unhappy. In order that they may be fully acquainted with conditions in and about Fresno, the Chamber of Commerce has appointed an able committee of vineyardists, bankers and railroad men who will meet with this commission this afternoon and discuss matters.

The commission will meet at the Chamber of Commerce rooms at 2 o'clock this afternoon and all agriculturists, horticulturists and viticulturists are invited to be present and express their views. No formal speeches have been prepared and the entire meeting will be in the nature of an informal discussion on the needs of the country.

As the trip of this commission is necessarily a somewhat hurried one, the members have no opportunity to make an extended stop at any one place and, for this reason they are seeking short meetings with those well versed in farm conditions in order that they may receive a brief outline of the troubles which beset the farmers in various parts of the country.

The commission leaves tonight on its road to Los Angeles, where it will continue its investigations.

LETTER FROM A FORTY-NINER

Could Not Obtain Relief from Catarrh Until he Had Used Hyomei.

Here is a simple, interesting and sincere letter from a rugged pioneer of '49, who braved the dangers and hardships of the overland trail to California. Surely the sincerity of this letter should strongly appeal to those who desire to escape the bondage in which they are now held by that ruthless and most powerful wrecker of health, and happiness: Catarrh.

Santa Rosa, Cal., May 5, 1908.
Booth's Hyomei Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Dear Sirs:—Some years ago I was afflicted with catarrh, and tried a number of remedies, but received no relief. I was told by a friend who had been using your Hyomei, and thought I would receive a great benefit and perhaps a cure. I purchased an outfit, and before I had used the bottle I noted a marked relief.

I used it for a month or so, and thought I was cured, and stopped using it for a year or so. Thought I was getting catarrh again, and started using it again, and I keep it in the house and use it every morning once a day, and keep myself clear of catarrh. I consider it the best catarrh medicine that is used. I often recommend it to my friends. I am 81 years old. I came to California in 1849, and of course am not as vigorous as I was 58 years ago. My address is 841 4th St. Yours truly, W. Mock.

Hyomei (pronounced High-o-me) is guaranteed by the San Joaquin Drug Co. not only for catarrh, but for grip, coughs, colds, bronchitis, croup of infants, asthma, and all diseases of throat and lungs. A complete outfit, including inhaler, costs only $1.00; extra bottles of Hyomei if afterwards needed cost but 50 cents. Ask the San Joaquin Drug Co. about it.